

## WHITAKER, KILLED BY AUTO, HIT TWICE, WITNESS ASSERTS

C. M. Barnard, Mechanical Engineer, Says First Impact Knocked Man 45 Feet.

### RUN OVER SECOND TIME

Alleges Youth Driving Machine Had Been Racing and Was Going 30 Miles an Hour.

Charles M. Barnard, 5374 Maple avenue, a mechanical engineer, who witnessed the killing yesterday by an automobile near Jefferson Memorial, in Forest Park of Alphonse Travis Whitaker, 45 years old, of 6042 Waterman avenue, credit manager for George D. Barnard & Co., today gave to a Post-Dispatch reporter a detailed account of the accident.

Barnard had watched the car that killed Whitaker for several seconds before it struck him and said he felt sure at the time a casualty was to occur. He will repeat his account of the circumstances surrounding the tragedy to the coroner.

Whitaker was killed as he was about to cross Government Drive with two companions who had accompanied him from the Municipal golf links. He was struck by a car driven by Joseph Campbell, 11 years old, of 5114 North Vandeventer avenue. He was taken in the Campbell machine to Barnes Hospital, and died about forty minutes later, shortly before his wife arrived at the hospital. Campbell drove from the hospital to the police station and gave himself up. He was held for the coroner.

Story as Told by Witness.

"I came out of the south central doorway of Jefferson Memorial Building about 12:30 o'clock," Barnard said. "My wife and I had driven to the park in our car and I had come out to look at the historical exhibits, while my wife drove about the park."

"As I stepped out I noticed two automobiles approaching at excessive speed. They appeared to be racing. One, a large touring car (Glide make), approached very fast. A Ford car beside it reached a point where the road branched and turned off. Then the driver of the Glide car turned to address his companions sitting in the tonneau. He seemed to be exultant over the abandonment of the race by the other car."

"By this time the big car had reached the little walk from the golf links. Three men were there and a shout of 'Look out' was called. The men jumped across the roadway, but the third man stepped back. At this time the Glide car seemed to swerve right toward the man who started back, and the machine struck him and knocked him 45 feet. I knew the distance because I measured it. Then the man started to arise, but the car struck him again, doubling him up under the front axle, twisting him around under the rear left wheel, which passed over him. The car proceeded about 40 feet further before coming to a stop."

"I judge the car was running 30 miles an hour. From the time the driver should have seen the men, and I think he saw them when he was 25 feet away from them, to the time he stopped, the car traveled 100 feet. A car should be stopped in two and one-half feet for every mile it is running, so that a car running 30 miles an hour should be stopped within 50 feet if mechanism is in good order."

"The car, evidently, was being run by an inexperienced driver, in my opinion. He apparently was only 17 or 18 years old. One of the driver's companions, whom I caused a policeman to arrest, told me the car was the property of a saloon keeper and that it was purchased only four or five days before."

Barnard has no connection with the George D. Barnard Co., for whom Whitaker worked.

Campbell, in a statement to the police, declared he was driving slowly at the time Whitaker was struck. Youths who were with Campbell said Whitaker turned back after starting over the roadway.

## PRESIDENT SAYS FOES OF FOOD BILL ENDANGER SELVES

Warns Them That They Must Be Prepared to Bear Responsibility for Own Defeat.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—President Wilson today issued a letter to Representative Borah and other opponents of the administration food bills warning them of the measures that they must be prepared to bear the responsibility for their defeat if they accomplish it.

"A certain disservice has been done the measure by speaking of it as the food control bill," wrote the President. "The object of the measure is not to control the food of the country, but to release it from the control of speculators and other persons who will seek to make inordinate profits out of it and to protect the people against the extortions which would result."

"It seems to me that those who oppose the measure ought very seriously to consider whether they are not playing into the hands of such persons and whether they are not making themselves responsible should they succeed, for the extraordinary and oppressive price of food in the United States. Foodstuffs will, of course, inevitably be high, but it is possible by perfectly legitimate means to keep them from being unreasonably and oppressively high."

## FIRST DRAFT ARMY NOT LIKELY TO BE IN TRAINING BY SEPT. 1

Construction of Sixteen Cantonnements May Delay Assembly of Men Until October.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Unless there are unforeseen developments to hurry construction of the 16 cantonnements for training the new national army, the first increment of 60,000 troops will not be in training by Sept. 1, as generally has been supposed and in fact, may not get into training for six weeks thereafter.

War Department officials generally had fixed Sept. 1 in their minds as the time training would begin. The first body of officers for the new army now being trained in camps throughout the country is to be turned out in August to make room for the next body. This was arranged on the plan of having the draft complete, exemptions disposed of and troops ordered into training camps by Sept. 1.

## RICH RUSSIAN COUNTESS IS FIRST WOMAN MINISTER

Begins Administration of Charitable and Social Institutions and the Care of Children.

PETROGRAD, June 18.—In a workman's blouse and leather skirt, Countess Sophie Panin has taken up the post of Minister of Social Tutelage, a department of state with the function of administering the charitable and social institutions and also the care of children.

The Countess is the world's first woman Minister. She is 45 years of age and very wealthy. She resides in a palace which she transformed into a people's house, accommodating of recreation place and popular university.

In a statement to the Associated Press she declared that her staff of officials will consist for the most part of women. She hopes that her appointment will be the signal for the transfer of social institutions in other countries into the hands of women.

## CATHEDRAL OF RHEIMS TO BE PANTHEON FOR ALLIED DEAD

Decision Reached to Make No Effort to Restore Cathedral Structure, Damaged by Bombardment.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Conversion, as soon as the war is over of the cathedral at Rheims into a pantheon for the unknown dead of all the armies fighting in France for the common cause of democracy has been determined upon by the French Government.

It is proposed that instead of trying to restore the cathedral, that representatives of all the allies place their battle flags within what remains of the historic edifice, which then shall be formally dedicated as a monument to the heroic dead.

## PORTUGUESE ON FIRING LINE

Troops Receive Their Baptism on Western Front.

PARIS, June 18.—The Portuguese forces on the western front, having been initiated into the art of modern warfare by progressive stages, have now received their baptism of fire.

The Matin says that today they are perfectly organized and have proved their worth in exemplary fashion.

## Another Big Flood

rushes down the Mississippi—the "June Rise," as termed by river men.

The St. Louis Sunday Post-Dispatch always has a flood of advertising, not only in June, but every month in the year.

An overwhelming, irresistible volume pours through its channels with copious streams of results year in and year out.

Yesterday (Sunday) this flood, swelled by thousands upon thousands of POST-DISPATCH advertising tributes swept all competition combined completely "off its feet," as the following figures prove:

The Count for Sunday, June 17:

Total Paid Advertising—354 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone 354 Cols.

Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 307 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 47 Cols.

Home-Merchants' Advertising—158 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone 158 Cols.

Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 128 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 30 Cols.

National Advertising—66 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone 66 Cols.

Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 68 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH lacked but 2 columns of equaling both.

Real Estate and Wants—130 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone 130 Cols.

Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 111 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 19 Cols.

Cast your advertising "bread upon the waters" through the columns of the POST-DISPATCH. It will "return to you" and it will not take "many days" for profitable results always quickly follow.

WHY?

QUANTITY—CIRCULATION—QUALITY

92% weekday in St. Louis and

Average for the first Five Months, 1917:

Sunday, 363,617 / Daily and Sunday, 197,656

"First in Everything."

## RED CROSS WILL OPEN CAMPAIGN AT DINNER TONIGHT

Large Donors to \$1,500,000 Fund to Be Raised This Week Will Be Announced.

### SOLICITORS GET ORDERS

Archbishop, Festus Wade and W. C. D'Arcy Will Be Principal Speakers.

Announcement of several large subscriptions to the \$1,500,000 Red Cross fund, which 200 workers will seek to raise this week in St. Louis, will be made this evening, at 6:30 o'clock, at the St. Louis Club, when the campaign will be launched at a dinner. Meanwhile, in every community in the country, similar plans are being carried out in an effort to raise \$100,000,000 in all during the week.

S. H. Clark, associate professor of public speaking of Chicago University, has been assigned as the speaker of the evening. He will outline the campaign. A. L. Shapleigh, who as "Captain-General" is directing the local campaign, will give final instructions to 24 captains, 24 lieutenants and their team-workers.

Oscar M. Miller, representative of the War Finance Committee of Washington, D. C., is assisting Shapleigh in advisory capacity, at the American Red Cross Week headquarters, first floor, 701 Locust street. Telephone, Red Cross 1,000-000.

Archbishop Glennon will pronounce the invocation at the dinner. Other speakers will be Festus J. Wade and W. C. D'Arcy, chairman of the Publicity Committee for the Red Cross Week campaign in St. Louis.

There will be a daily luncheon meeting at 1 p. m. at the Mercantile Club for the captains, lieutenants and team workers, when the reports of the various teams will be made. Each team will be supplied with an expert cashier, who will daily file the total of subscriptions secured by the team.

The plan is to secure subscriptions of \$2000, \$1000, \$500, \$200 and \$100 per month, for a period of one year, to insure a steady stream of contributions to the fund. The plan is to secure subscriptions of \$2000, \$1000, \$500, \$200 and \$100 per month, for a period of one year, to insure a steady stream of contributions to the fund.

REGISTRATION NOW 9,611,811

Returns Complete Except for Wyoming and Kentucky.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Almost complete returns on the registrations under the selective draft law received at the Provost Marshal General's office today totaled 9,611,811.

Wyoming, in which the districts are widely scattered, was the only State from which no returns have been received. Seven counties are missing from the Kentucky bill country, where communications are slow.

## THOUSANDS SEE BRITISH FLYER DESTROY ZEPPELIN

Dirigible Was One of Two on Raiding Tour; All of Crew Are Killed.

Some Apparently Having Jumped.

LONDON, June 18.—Two persons were killed and 16 injured in the air raid early yesterday, during which a Zeppelin was brought down.

The official report says two dirigibles engaged in the raid, one on the Kentish coast and the other at West Anglin. There were no casualties at West Anglin, where the raid was brought down. Thousands witnessed the destruction of the dirigible, which dropped in a field of corn far from any habitations. All the crew were killed. Some of the men appeared to have jumped from the doomed airship.

The British airman who attacked the Zeppelin descended near by unhurt.

## PERSHING HARD AT WORK IN HIS PARIS OFFICE

Sunday Luncheon With Premier Viviani Completed Round of Social Functions.

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Gen. Pershing had luncheon yesterday with Premier Viviani. Later he visited the general American army headquarters and received Gen. Foch, chief of the general staff of the French army, who presented the members of his staff and the heads of the military missions of the allied countries now in France.

The American enlisted men, who came to France with Gen. Pershing, are having experience with foreign habits, languages and rationing which indicate what the main body of American troops will find when it arrives. The Americans are quartered at the Pégliere Barracks, a huge quadrilateral on Place St. Augustine, one of the central locations of Paris. There are housed troops from all the allied nations, including Russians, Serbians, Belgians, Rumanians, Canadians, Australians and New Zealanders, with 60 American troops, engineers and automobile drivers among the latest arrivals. The vast central court presents a strange sight in the mingling of the uniforms and flags of the various nations.

Each contingent has its own drills and its own living and eating quarters, but when the men are off duty the court is crowded with the soldiers, speaking many languages and attempting to make themselves understood with sign language. The American troops are on French military ration, some cases, like better than American or British rations, for in addition to the abundant well-cooked food they embrace the regular French allowance of wine, which, however, may be discontinued when the American troops are in the field.

The chief complaint of the Americans for the American is the continental breakfast restricted to bread and coffee. Lunch and dinner are served in abundance with plenty of meat and vegetables. The main reason for not applying to the military, as the French policy is to limit the restrictions on meat, sugar, etc., to civilians in order that the fighting forces may be kept up to the full measure of energy.

## BRITISH AIR FLEET TO TAKE STEPS "FOR DAMAGING ENEMY"

Boar Law So Declares in Reply to Question Whether Repetitions Against Germany Are Intended.

LONDON, June 18.—Replying to a series of questions in the House of Commons this afternoon as to whether the British Government had decided upon reprisals for the German air raids on England, Andrew Bonar Law, member of the British War Council, said the Government intended to take steps only for damaging the enemy but for preventing raids on England.

It was a mistake, Bonar Law said, to assume that air raiding was confined to the enemy. The British air forces in France had not only to guard against German bombers and all important military objectives behind the lines which were of sufficient importance to justify such enterprises.

## JAPANESE WARSHIPS BELIEVED TO HAVE SUNK A SUBMARINE

Flotilla in Mediterranean Attacked Enemy Craft on June 12.

LONDON, June 18.—An official statement issued today by the British admiralty says that a Teuton submarine has probably been sunk by Japanese warships in the Mediterranean.

The statement follows: "The Japanese naval attaché communicates that one of the Japanese flotillas in the Mediterranean on the evening of June 12, encountered a submarine and immediately attacked it with, it is believed, good success and probably sank it."

## ROACH, GALEENER AND PLAYER ON STATE TAX COMMISSION

First Gets Six-Year Term, Sixteen Months 4 Years, and St. Louisan 2 Years.

JEFFERSON CITY, June 18.—Gov. Gardner today commissioned Cornelius Roach, chairman of the new Tax Commission, and James J. Galeener of St. Louis, a member, for a four-year term, and James J. Player of St. Louis, for the two-year term.

## PROBABLY CLOUDY AND COOLER TONIGHT; TOMORROW FAIR

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m. 66° 8 a. m. 68° 11 a. m. 68°

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Partly cloudy and cooler tonight; with thunder showers tomorrow fair and cooler; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest, shifting to northwest winds.

Missouri—Partly cloudy; portions, probably with thunderstorms in east portions this afternoon or tonight; cooler tonight; tomorrow, cooler in east and south portions; Wednesday, fair, fresh southwest shifting to northwest winds.

Illinois—Increasing cloudiness, probably with local thunderstorms this afternoon or tonight; cooler tonight; tomorrow, generally fair and cooler; Wednesday, fair, fresh southwest shifting to northwest winds.

Stages of river at St. Louis, 24.4 feet, a fall of .7 foot. This is 4 feet above flood stage.

RUSSIA IS BETWEEN THE KAISER AND THE DEEP SEA.

Admiral Wires Son to Russia: He Does OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., June 18.—David M. French, son of Admiral D. McK. French, United States Navy, enlisted in the United States army at the recruiting station here today. French gave his age as 25 and his home address as Easton, Cal. He had received a telegram from his father, telling him to enlist, he said.

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### RECEIVES GEN. FOCH

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Prices Will Be Fixed by President Under Recent Act of Congress.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Secretary Daniels has ordered coal and oil producers to supply the enormous quantities needed by the navy at prices to be fixed later by the President, when the Federal Trade Commission has determined a fair rate.

The navy will use 1,500,000 tons of coal and 500,000 barrels of oil, purchased under this application of the authority granted by Congress.

Similarly, steel for the entire navy building program is being bought at a rate fixed when Secretary Daniels rejected the proposals of the steel makers as too high.

Secretary Daniels said today that the coal operators proposed to furnish navy coal at a rate of \$2.56 a ton at the mines, that the navy had paid \$2.38 for delivered. The Secretary directed the companies to ship immediately, the orders being pre-arranged by the producers, agreeing to pay a tentative price of \$2.32 at the mines pending a report from the Federal Trade Commission. If the commission determines a higher rate is justified because of increased cost of production, the department will equalize payments at the rate fixed. If \$2.32 is too high, however, payments on future shipments will be curtailed to bring the entire purchase at the commission's rate. The \$2.32 rate is being advanced by the Government "on account" at present.

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Commissioner Clements, a Democrat, had served on the commission since 1902. He was 71 years old and a native of Georgia. He served in the Southern army in the Civil War. He was a member of Congress from 1901 to 1902.

## IRISH PRISONERS WELCOMED

Doyle Crowned Greet Released Men With Songs and Cheers.

LONDON, June 18.—Large crowds gathered in Dublin this morning to welcome the released Irish prisoners, all of whom, except Countess Markievicz, arrived at 8 o'clock. Men with banners escorted the former prisoners to their homes. There were Irish songs and a great cheering, but no disorder.

Countess Markievicz led a band of revolutionaries which attempted to capture Dublin Castle, killing a guard. She was sentenced to death, but the sentence was commuted to penal servitude for life.

## Free Band Concert Tonight

Noel Peopling's Band, at Fairground Park, 7 to 9:30 o'clock.

## Cousin of Czar to Wed Rich Englishman, a Jew



COUNTRESS ZIA TORBY.

Daughter of Grand Duke Michael to Be Bride of Chief Heir to \$50,000,000.

LONDON, June 18.—The engagement is announced of the Countess Zia Torby, eldest daughter of the Grand Duke Michael, an uncle of the ex-Czar Nicholas, who has lived for many years in England and met Harold Warner.

A few months ago this alliance would have been utterly impossible. Maj. Warner is an officer in the Lancashire, a son of the late Sir John Julius Warner, a Jew, who amassed a fortune of over \$50,000,000 in African diamonds. Maj. Warner is his chief heir.

Grand Duke Michael contacted a morganatic marriage with the Countess Torby. The Countess Zia, who is to be married, has a younger sister, Countess Maria, who now is about 21 years old. Both are beautiful young women.

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## POLICEMAN BITTEN IN OVERPOWERING DOG

Was Afraid to Shoot Animal Suspected of Having Rabies Because of Crowd.

When attempting to overpower a bulldog, supposed to have the rabies, policeman Henry Sieckhaus was bitten on the left arm yesterday afternoon. The policeman caught the dog on Eads avenue, after a long chase, but was afraid to shoot it on account of many women and children being on the streets.

He grabbed the dog by the throat and attempted to overpower it, but the animal was so strong that he broke, the policeman's grip and buried his teeth in his arm. Detective Sergts. McCauley and Kling, who had joined in the chase, went to the aid of Sieckhaus and tried to tie the dog with a rope. They were unable to do so, but Sieckhaus removed his grip on the animal's throat and held it while Kling shot it.







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**\$600,000,000 U. S. AIR FLEET FOR WAR SERVICE PROPOSED**

Administration Behind Great Program of Building and Training Aviators.

**STATEMENT BY BAKER**

**He Declares No Other Assistance So Effective Can Be Furnished Quickly.**

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The administration is squarely behind the project to appropriate \$600,000,000 for the development of the aviation branch of the American army and navy on a huge scale, as the most effective and immediate contribution this country can make to the allied cause.

While the sum which President Wilson will urge Congress to provide without delay is immense, administration officials believe the future will demonstrate that its expenditure was the best made by our Government in the war.

Members of Congress in close touch with the plans of the Government disclosed the fact today that the President contemplates sending to the Capitol this week an estimate for \$600,000,000 for the construction of airplanes, hydroplanes and other aircraft and the training of aviators in large numbers to carry the Stars and Stripes over the fighting lines in Europe.

Less than five years ago a request that Congress appropriate \$50,000 for aviation raised a hubbub on Capitol Hill. In the last two and a half months a total of something like \$60,000,000 has been appropriated for aviation in the army and navy. While this represents a great advance, Congress is now to be asked to boost the total tenfold, in order that we may, as Gen. Squier, head of the service, puts it, "put the Yankee punch" into the war in Europe, by furnishing thousands of American eyes for the allied armies and that of Gen. Pershing.

Secretary Baker issued a statement saying the United States could build thousands of airplanes and train thousands of aviators without interfering in the slightest with plans for building up armies and for supplying the allies with food and munitions. He asserted that the proposed addition to the air forces of the allies would be proportionately of far greater value than any aid which America can supply on land.

He said that according to the best available figures there are about 7,000,000 soldiers on the western front today. The addition of a few infantry units will mean little except in a moral way, he pointed out, but he declared with the allies and the Germans fighting on about even terms as to man power and aircraft, the few thousand trained aviators, with machines for their use, might spell the whole difference between victory and defeat. He referred to the shipping problem also, and to the economy as to space in sending airmen and aircraft to Europe, as compared with the requirements for dispatching troops in effective numbers.

**SUSPECTED OF AUTO, ARE HELD**

They Sought to Recover From Machine Gun in the Woods.

men in the ages of 15 and 18 by the police of St. Louis City, suspected of having shot a man in the back. The boys, who were seen taking three, hidden among trees, and a Pennsylvania automobile stolen one and abandoned a short distance from the scene, were arrested after several hours of search. The boys were recovered from the wreckage of the car, and now held by the police of St. Louis.

**POLICE PATROL AND AUTO COLLIDE; 3 PERSONS HURT**

Patrolman and Signal Officer Among the Injured; Woman Knocked Down in Another Accident.

One woman and two men were slightly injured in an automobile accident at Jefferson avenue and Olive street at 1 o'clock this morning when the police patrol automobile from the Dayton Street Station collided with an automobile driven by Wentworth Steele, 33 years old, of 102 North Twelfth street.

Miss Anna Hooker, 25 years old, living at 412W. Florissant avenue, who was in Steele's machine, was thrown out and was cut and bruised. John Costello, 70 years old, signal officer on the patrol wagon, was cut on the face and hands and his left hip was dislocated. Patrolman Fred Grabbe suffered an injury to his right leg and back.

The police patrol was knocked into a store on the southeast corner and Steele's machine was thrown against a telephone post.

Steele was arrested and charged with careless driving.

Mrs. Marie W. Flach, 22 years old, of 178 Westgate avenue, was slightly injured when crossing the street at Goodfellow and the Suburban tracks by an automobile owned by Philip D. C. Ball and driven by his chauffeur, Eugene McCormac, yesterday morning.

Mrs. Flach had alighted from a north-bound Hamilton car and started to cross the street when she was struck. She was cut on the lower leg and was bruised on the left leg and her left ankle was sprained.

**\$225,000 VERDICT FOR WOMAN, 29, WHO SUED MAN, 85**

Jury's Decision Announced in Miss O'Brien's Breach of Promise Action Against John R. Manning.

NEW YORK, June 18.—Miss Honora May O'Brien, 29 years old, obtained \$225,000 damages in her breach of promise suit brought against John R. Manning, 85 years old.

The decision of the jury, which heard the evidence in the strange case of the "Irish rose" against the 85-year-old millionaire, was announced when the sealed verdict was opened before Judge Crosey today.

At the trial Miss O'Brien's suit, Manning testified that she had won him while playing cards, but he said he considered the matter a joke. Honora, who had sued him for \$100,000, had been good housewife and would be, Manning testified, and made love to him on a couch. Miss O'Brien testified it was not her heart as much as her nerves that was destroyed by his failure to marry her.

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# War to Bring About a Solution of the Servant Girl Problem, Says Head of Domestic Employment Bureau of the Y. W. C. A. Shortage of Labor to Win 10-Hour Day, She Tells Marguerite Martyn



"CONDITIONS ARE JUST THE REVERSE OF WHAT THEY WERE THREE YEARS AGO."

**Field Is Open for Some Interesting Experiments in Household Efficiency, Mrs. C. A. Coates Says—Industrial Lines in Market for More Women Workers.**

**By MARGUERITE MARTYN.**

MANY good things come out of war, especially to women," I heard a woman say the other day. She was alluding to the democratization of women through Red Cross work.

Another instance of the truth of this observation is brought to my notice by Mrs. C. A. Coates, head of the domestic service employment bureau of the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Coates is an expert in her field, not merely a specialist in placing and securing domestic help, but an all-around sympathizer and observer of every angle of her transactions. From her vantage point she predicts that out of the toady-turvy conditions in the labor market due to the war, is coming the solution of the great servant girl problem.

"Conditions are entirely changed from what they were three years ago," she said at her desk in the headquarters building, 141 Locust street. "Glance at these records. In May, 1914, 100 girls applied for work. We were fortunate when we were able to place about 700 of them. Last month, 520 girls registered for work and we placed 504."

My own memory serves to bear out her assertion. I recall that formerly my sympathies have been torn by the sight of those several rooms crowded with women and girls waiting anxiously, wistfully or hopefully for the chance telephone call that might be a summons to a job. This day there were just two women waiting restlessly and the telephone rang repeatedly but the tale of woe came from the other end of the line.

**Shortage of House Workers.**

"It is almost impossible to supply house workers," said Mrs. Coates. "The few we do get are demanding 8-hour days, Thursday and Friday afternoons off, also definite evenings, \$20 a month minimum wage, \$30 average, and good cooks insist upon \$40 a month. It is a troublesome condition and daily becoming more complicated. But," and she smiled, "I believe I see in the distance the clarification of the whole big house servant problem."

The Y. W. C. A. conducts an employment bureau for other kinds of service, too, but the domestic department always has had the preponderance of patronage. Conditions now are the same in all departments and revealed the cause of the absence of seekers at work. I found, for example, that a Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. requisition for 100 women beginners at \$12.5 a day had brought only five applicants. Electric, garment and shoe factories had had the same experience and calls for help from department stores had gone altogether unanswered.

"The demand for help far exceeds the supply," said Mrs. Cabell, whose desk is labeled "Clerical Employment."

"When women whose male supporters had enlisted began coming in seeking employment, I wrote to many big employers asking that they co-operate with us in placing these women. I've had answers from many who never have called upon us before, saying they would co-operate and that they were anticipating

the need and expected to take women for work formerly done by men."

"Have you had calls for women to replace men where the women would have to adopt men's attire?" I inquired.

"Payers Overalls for Women."

"Not yet, but we expect them. And for my part," declared Mrs. Coates, "I should like to see overalls or almost any other costume replace the bungalow apron which is the popular costume of women in factories now. The flapping apron is dangerous around machinery and, furthermore, it is not decent."

"We always make it a point," continued Mrs. Cabell, "to insist that employers agree to pay the same wages to women that they have been paying men, and the employers actuated by patriotism are agreeing to do so. Also we are advising women not to underbid men. Women who are going to work from patriotic impulses, to release men for the army, should either donate their services outright or should require pay equal to the men they replace in order that the standard of wages may be kept up."

But to return to Mrs. Coates' interesting view of the domestic help situation.

"There are innumerable faults on both sides of this question for readjustment," observed Mrs. Coates. "Take the employer's side first, for here is the greater responsibility. Housewives have persisted in conducting their household work upon the principles belonging to the tall-candle age when we are living in an electric light age. These women have got to be willing to meet conditions half way. They should all this time have been profiting by the experiences of their husbands in the business world. Men employers in their relations to labor have been forced to recognize the just de-

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# INSISTS ON FINES FOR TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS

## Street Director Wants Civic Bodies to Help Stop Increase in Auto Accidents.

Director of Streets and Sewers Talbert, having under consideration a remedy for the increasing number of automobile accidents in which persons are run down and injured, today again called attention to the need of strict police enforcement of traffic ordinances and regulation, and to the necessity of collecting fines for violations.

"The proper remedy," he pointed out, "would be for teaming interests, the Auto Club, retail merchants, and other commercial, industrial and civic organizations to represent themselves in the police courts by an attorney, or somebody designated for the purpose, to urge a penalty in every case of violation of any traffic ordinance or regulation."

"Fines will cure violations. Violators must not be excused because they are frequenters of the same way, or are driving on passengers, is contained in an ordinance which is contained in the police code. It is a common knowledge that vehicle drivers are growing more careless daily in their failure to observe traffic ordinances and regulations. Machines are parked improperly, drivers are careless about lights on machines and indifferent to police warnings posted on their machines; many pass street cars which have stopped to discharge or take on passengers, and others disregard speed regulations."

"These things," the Director explained, "are the principal causes of the growing list of casualties."

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**REDDING HELD FOR GRAND JURY IN WHITE MURDER**

Defendant Weeps at Inquest When Wife Goes on Stand and He Is Removed From Room.

Dee Redding of 4020 Westminister place was ordered held for the grand jury on a homicide charge today after an inquest into the death of Alexander M. White, a trombone player, whom Redding shot and killed last Friday.

Redding wept when his wife, Maude, took the stand, and he was removed from the inquest room. Mrs. Redding told of the shooting at the Westminister place address where she runs a boarding house. She said her husband had been jealous of her for years and had complained of White's presence in the house. White went there as a roomer about a month ago.

Several witnesses testified that there was no cause for Redding's jealousy. Mrs. Catherine Tesson said that shortly before the shooting Redding told her she had ordered him from the house and he was going to start something. Fear, she said, caused her to lock her self in the bathroom. Later she saw Redding hunting for his wife with a revolver in one hand and an iron bar in the other.

Redding took the stand but refused to testify when told any statement he made might be used against him.

**Burglars Raid Chestnut Street Bar.**

Burglars entered the bar of the Almac Hotel, Fourteenth and Chestnut street, last night, taking more than \$300 worth of liquors and tobacco.

Director Talbert says that traffic policemen in some cases are alert and active in enforcing even the traffic regulations. In other cases they are indifferent. He added that to depend upon obtaining convictions by misdemeanor, growing out of failure to obey a policeman's directions, presupposes the policeman is the job, sees the violation and forbids it.

**World Commute Adler Sentence.**

LONDON, June 18.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. from Copenhagen quotes the Social Democrat newspaper as declaring that the Austrian Court of Justice has requested the supreme court to commute the death sentence of Count Karl Stuerghel, the assassin of Count Karl Stuerghel, the Austrian Premier, to a term of imprisonment and that there is no doubt the plea will be granted.

**"Old Friend" Calls and Robs Family.**

James Jackson of 214 Bell avenue last night reported to the police that he and his wife were visited at their home about 11 o'clock by two men, one of whom was an old friend, who held him up at the point of a revolver and robbed him of \$20. The name of the man was given to the police.

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Pope Won't Recall Bishop of Trent.  
PARIS, June 18.—A Vatican dispatch from Rome states that the Vatican has announced that it has finally refused to recall the Right Rev. Coelestin Endrick, Bishop of Trent, as demanded by Austria. The effort to dislodge Mgr. Endrick dates from the beginning of the war, when the Austrian Government, because of his avowed pro-Italian sentiments, attempted to force from him a declaration of loyalty to Austria.

**Tuesday Garland's Tomorrow**

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## RADICAL REFORM IN GOVERNMENT OF SPAIN DEMANDED

Country Declared to Be "Sick of Favoritism" and Monopolizing of Office.

DISCONTENT IS GENERAL

Soldiers' Demands for Rights Sets Example for Whole Country.

MADRID, June 18.—A movement for a radical rebuilding of the whole political edifice in Spain is gaining adherents everywhere. Discontent with existing methods has been long general among the more advanced Liberals and reformers among the other parties of the left. Internal and external difficulties arising from the war have served to heighten and increase it, and it has gained among the other parties. Even former Premier Maura, leader of the Conservatives, agrees that there is ground for dissatisfaction.

Senator Romeo, editor of the Correspondencia de Espana, summed up the general grievance in a forcible article recently. He wrote: "We ought all to be tired of the favoritism which condemns the country to external stagnation and is only waiting for the signal to rise like one man and do away with it forever. Favoritism is the cancer which is killing Spain and will put an end to her unless we put an end to it."

The Officers' Defense Committees demand briefly that rewards should be proportionate to service and that promotion should be by merit, with due regard to the claims of seniority. Their action was on the whole well received by the public and brought about the downfall of the Brieto administration. The example is being followed all over the country. Defense committees of all sorts of professions and trades, as well as of Government servants, are springing up everywhere.

At Cordova a number of prominent men, including engineers, university professors, workmen and priests have published a manifesto demanding a new political system totally different from that hitherto in existence and urging the formation of defense committees similar to the officers' organizations throughout the country.

In the meanwhile there is a growing movement in favor of the reopening of Parliament. Three Liberal Deputies, Senors Darribero, Basolga and Pacheco, have addressed a manifesto to the Senators and Deputies protesting against the closing of the Cortes under the present circumstances.

Premier Confident.  
It seems that the Government wishes to allow time for the agitation to die down before submitting a solution of the grave problems raised by the army officers and by the labor troubles. Premier Dato, in an interview yesterday, said: "The whole question is to know how to meet the aspirations of the country. The Government is, therefore, taking note of all claims of grievances and justice will be done without delay. We shall be guided by judgments of public opinion. We do not pretend that we live in an Arcadia, but we think we can say that we have brought about a relaxation of the strained situation which permits us to view the future with confidence."

Among the steps the Government is taking is a reorganization of the higher commands in the army which is being studied by the Minister of War, Gen. Primo-Rivera. While Premier Dato enjoys general respect, his confidence in the outlook is not altogether shared by political observers, who unanimously agree that the situation continues one of extraordinary difficulty.

Conference With U. S. Envoy.  
The Marquis de Lema, Spanish Foreign Minister, has had long interviews with the American Ambassador and with the Spanish Ambassador to Great Britain, who has just arrived here. Afterward he conferred for two hours with Premier Dato, following which the Premier met the Italian Ambassador and the Minister of Finance.

Premier Dato told the newspaper reporters that the Government did not intend to exercise any censorship against criticisms of the present ministry or against the administrations of Count Ramonones or Marquis Prieto, but would forbid attacks against persons in authority by any body of irresponsible people.

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They are trimmed with Val. and Fillet laces, embroidery, tucks and hemstitching, and some are embroidered in attractive designs. They show dainty frills, large or roll collars, and pretty cuff effects. The Georgette waists may be had in both white and flesh tint.

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\$1.95 \$3.95 & \$5.00

## Silk Jersey Coats

**\$15.00**

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### Men's Silk Socks

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"MERODE" Union Suits, lace-trimmed knees. 75c. Some band tops. (Main Floor.)

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### Bathing Suit Taffeta

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### Boy's Blouses

OF corded madras, neat striped effects, fast color. Collar attached, tearless. All sizes. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

### Hair Nets, 6 for

LARGE-size Human Hair Nets, automobile and American Lady styles, including cap shape. (Third Floor.)

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### Shelf Embroidery, Yard,

HEAVY quality cambric, about 5 inches wide, embroidered scalloped edges in blue, with various kitchen utensils embroidered to match. While the lot lasts at the above special price. (Main Floor.)

### Linen Handkerchiefs,

WOMEN'S Handkerchiefs, chiefs of fine quality pure linen, neatly hemstitched, with 1/4-inch hems. Excellent value. (Main Floor.)

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BOXES containing 24 sheets and 24 envelopes—good quality linen-finish stock, priced special at 17c box, or three boxes. (Main Floor.)

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Women's Pants GAUZE cotton, with French band, tight knees. Regular sizes.

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bleached, 39 inches wide, on sale at, yard, 7 1/2c

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solid black, white and colors, at, yard, 12 1/2c

#### MILL REMNANTS Dress Ging-

hams, Amoskeag Mills, stripes and plaids, 32 inches wide, yard, 13 1/2c

#### MILL REMNANTS Sport Suit-

ings, woven stripes and printed large designs, 32 inches wide, yard, 15c

#### MILL REMNANTS Batiste

Lawns, fancy printed, light colored, yard, 7 1/2c

#### MILL REMNANTS Nainsook,

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## A Sale of New Taffeta Skirts

Representing Many Distinctive New Models \$2.98 and \$3.98

There are all sizes from 23 to 30 waistband—also extra sizes up to 34-inch waist measure

In a very fortunate purchase, several hundred striking new Skirts have come to us. They are tailored from good quality taffeta, in all black and in many stunning colored stripe effects. Some are plainly tailored, while others are fancily trimmed with pockets, shirring, belts, straps and buttons.

Middy Blouses Special 79c at

A NUMBER of pretty new models taken from our regular stock and reduced for Tuesday. They are in white with colored collar and cuffs, and are to be had in women's and misses' sizes.

Silk Waists Special \$2.29 at

MANY winsome models of crepe de chine, taffeta, habutai and tub silk. A number of distinctive new models shown in the popular shades. These are just a little soiled from handling, but otherwise in perfect condition. All sizes from 38 to 44 bust.

The Final Close-Out of About 150 Women's and Misses' Cloth Coats \$3.00

THESE are splendid garments for the cool Summer evenings and will give lots of service, and are on sale while they last. There are Coats of plaids, checks and mixtures, in sizes for juniors, misses and women.



(Downstairs Store.)

## A SALE OF TOILET GOODS

Prices Maintain Tuesday While Quantities Last—No C. O. D., Phone or Mail Orders.

**Hot Weather Necessities**  
Odor-O-No, 15c, 35c, 65c  
Amolin Powder, 11c and 20c  
Mum, each, 15c  
Skratts Oriental Bath Pdr., 10c  
Rose Geranium Bath Salt, 10c  
Babcock's Coriopsis Bath Salt, 6c  
Violet Ammonia, large bottle, 10c  
Loofah Bath Mitts, pair, 15c  
Ruber Massage Bath Mitts, 25c  
Loofah Guards, each, 3 1/2c  
Babcock Island Scrub, Salt—3-lb. sack, 10c 1-lb. sack, 15c

**Talcum Powders**  
Lanell's Maantra Talcum, 10c  
Sanitol Talcum Powder, 10c  
Rignaud's Mary Garden, Liane, 35c  
Rignaud's Talcum Powder, 11c  
Fulton's Antiseptic Perfumed, 10c  
Arlene Talcum, pound box, 12 1/2c  
Babcock's Coriopsis Talcum, 11c  
Sweetheart Talcum Powder, 5c  
Rogers & Gallet's Talcum, 15c  
Dher-Kiss Talcum Powder, 15c  
Houbgiant's Talcum, box, 15c  
Palmolive Talcum Powder, 15c  
Armour's Syllian, all odors, 10c

**Face Creams and Lotions**  
Pompeian Massage Cream, medium size, 30c  
Alboline Cold Cream, 10c  
Malvina Cream, 10c  
Perfexide Cream, large jar, 10c  
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream, 25c  
Jergens' Almond and Benzoin, 15c  
Arlene Glycerine Lotion, 15c  
Rogers & Gallet's Toilet Vine, 15c  
Palmolive Cold Cream, 10c  
Palmolive Vanishing Cream, 30c  
Madame Stanley's Massage Cream, 15c  
Madame Stanley's Niagara Face Cream, 15c  
Concentrated Tincture of Benzoin, 1-oz., 10c 4-oz., 25c  
Dr. Charles' Flesh Food, 25c  
May Flower Cream, 25c

**Dentifrices**  
Sanitol Tooth Paste, 15c  
Dr. Cates' Anti-Pyorrhea Paste, 15c  
Revelation Tooth Powder, 15c  
Searce Tooth Paste, 15c  
Pampering Tooth Paste, 15c  
Colgate's Tooth Paste, 15c and 30c  
S. B. White's Tooth Paste, 15c  
Tooth Powder, 15c  
Calox Tooth Powder, 15c  
Eucalyptus Tooth Paste, 15c  
Jewberry & Brown's Oriental Tooth Paste, 15c  
(Toilet Goods Dept.—Square 9, 10 and Escalator, Main Floor.)

**Toilet and Bath Soaps**  
Pearl Soap, unscented, cake, 5c  
Noy scented, cake, 14c  
4711 White Rose Glycerine, 15c  
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet Soap, 3 cakes, 30c  
Broomey's Imported Almond, 10c  
Rogers & Gallet's Sandalwood Soap, guest size, 10c  
Woodbury's Facial Soap, cake, 17c  
La Primera Castile Soap, cake, 10c  
Williams' Turkish Bath, 6c  
Armour's Venetian Bath, 6c  
Imperial Peroxide Soap, cake, 30c  
Facts Olive Cream Soap, cake, 30c  
Kirk's Jap Rose Soap, cake, 7 1/2c  
Colgate's Cold Soap, cake, 10c  
Life Buoy Soap, cake, 10c  
Olive Oil Castile Soap, cake, 30c  
Imported Bath Tablets, Verbenia, 30c  
or June Geranium, cake, 21c  
Shah of Persia Violet Soap, 30c  
Kirk's Health Glow Soap, cake, 10c

**Shaving Preparations**  
Williams' Shaving Soap, 3 cakes to lb. (1 lb. to buyer), 30c  
Williams' Shaving Cream, powder or stick, 17c  
Palmolive Shaving Cream, 17c  
Mennen's Shaving Cream, 17c  
Pinaud's Shaving Cream, jar, 60c

**Witch Hazel**  
Double dist.—Half 2 bottles—1-oz. bottle, 10c 10c, 16c

**Peroxide of Hydrogen**  
Limit 2 bottles—1-oz. bottle, 10c 10c, 16c

**Palmolive Soap**  
Limit 2 cakes, at 2 cakes, 8c

**Mentholatum**  
Limit 1 1/2 jars, at 1 jar, 15c

**Limit 2 to buyer—Small size, 17c Medium size, 34c Large size, 65c**

**Pebecco Tooth Paste**  
Limit 1 tube to buyer, at, tube, 35c

**Face Powders and Cosmetics**  
Mayflower Complexion Pdr., 25c  
Freeman's Complexion Pdr., 10c  
Dora Imported Complexion Powder, 25c  
Rogers & Gallet's Anthra, 65c  
Bourbons Java Rice Powder, 25c  
Kirk's Jap Rose Powder, 25c  
El Perfecto Veda Rose, 25c  
Madame Stanley's Powder, 16c  
R. G. Violette de Lis Pdr., 16c  
Kerkhoff's Dier Kiss Powder, 40c  
Rogers & Gallet's Violette de Lis Powder, 40c  
Coty's Jacquemine Rose or L'Es-Fluor Powder, large box, \$2.75  
Bisquit's L'Es-Fluor Powder, 25c  
Poudre, box, 85c  
Imported Rouge, with puff, 25c  
Absorbent Cotton, physician's, surgeons', best quality, 1lb., 30c  
Halling Bros. Powder, 15c  
Dorin's La Dorian Powder, 15c  
Ashes of Roses Rouge, 20c  
Brassette Rouge, with puff, 10c  
Pier-Pont Face Powder, box, 10c  
Dorin's Framboise or Brunette Rouge, box, 30c  
Prepared Chalk, box, 30c  
Imported Lip Sticks, 10c  
Palmolive Face Powder, 30c

**Manicure Preparations**  
Powdered Pumice, large box, 5c  
Flexible Emery Boards, doz., 5c  
Emery Boards, small size, doz., 5c  
Orangewood Sticks, 3 for 5c  
Vanity Nail Enamel, 15c  
Flexible Nail Files, 15c  
Cora Ramers, 15c  
Two-steps, various sizes, 15c  
Lustrite Nail Files, in case, 10c

**Hair Preparations**  
Farr's Hair Restorer, 75c  
Pinaud's Hair Tonic, 35c and 50c  
Rogers & Gallet's Brillantine, 25c  
Castro's Shampoo, 25c  
Henna, for tinting the hair, box, 15c  
Lohs & Flank's Henna, 1/2-lb., 25c  
Caustic Water, for the hair, 75c

**Johnson's Iodine Foot Soap,** 10c  
Hairbrushes, solid back, hand-drawn bristles, 50c  
Silk Vanity Case and Puff, 15c  
Tourier Cases, rubber-lined, slightly soiled, Half Price  
Ivory Cream Polish, 15c

**Sundries**  
Rubber Tubing, 5-ft. length, 15c  
Fountain Syringe, 3-qt., guaranteed, 75c  
Water Bottles, 3-qt., guar., 75c  
"Marvel" Whirling Spray, 57c  
Japanese Bamboo Combs, 5c  
Ruber Pine Combs, 50c  
Rubber Dressing Combs, 10c  
"Ideal" Hairbrushes, double-bristled, waterproof, \$1.00  
Nail Scrubs, solid back, satin, fox and ebony, each, 15c

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610-612 Washington Avenue  
"The House of Courtesy"

Following our usual custom we do not quote any comparative values in this advertisement.

Tuesday Only

## Ten-Dollar Day

650 Suits, Coats and Dresses remaining from our "Choice of the House" sale will be offered tomorrow at Ten Dollars. The sizes, styles and colors are limited; we therefore urge early attendance.

Silk Taffeta Suits.....  
Silk Pongee Suits.....  
Wool Jersey Suits.....  
Gabardine and Serge Suits.....  
Silk Jersey Coats,  
Plain and Marabou trimmed

Silk Sweater Coats.....  
Silk Taffeta Coats.....  
Wool Jersey Coats.....  
Plaid Wool Coats.....  
Gabardine & Poplin Coats.....

Silk Taffeta Dresses.....  
Crepe de Chine Dresses.....  
Silk Pongee Dresses.....  
Net, Gingham & Voile Dresses.....

Choice

# \$10

No Approvals

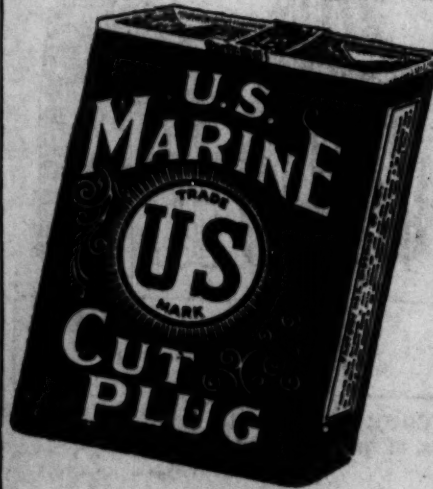
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## Proud of its Name



You can always depend on this tobacco. It has earned its reputation for doing the right thing. All those good old qualities that make a pipe smoke worth while are built into it.

## U.S. MARINE CUT PLUG



is as honest as it is friendly. It's a sound investment for it gives satisfactory returns on every nickel. There are no "ifs" about it. The weather doesn't have to be made to order to suit U. S. MARINE. It's a comfortable outdoor smoke under the most trying conditions—indoors it's pipe luxury.

U. S. MARINE comes from Kentucky's best tobacco soil. Over twenty years of experience are back of its manufacture. It comes to you in the new sealed-in-package, ripe, fragrant and fresh. A pipe smoke built to satisfy a man of sense.

U. S. Marine makes friends and holds them

5 cents a package

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The American Tobacco Co.

## ROOKIES ARRESTED ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Two Recruits Accused of Taking Whisky Into Barracks; Clean-up Campaign General.

The arrest Saturday of two Jefferson Barracks "rookies" on a charge of taking liquor into the barracks reservation in violation of Federal law was made public today.

The recruits, William Robinson and William Sloman, were recent arrivals from Chicago, and were not in uniform. Internal Revenue Department agents Saturday afternoon saw them leaving a saloon at Telegraph and Barracks roads and heading for the reservation. They followed the men and arrested them inside the grounds. Four bottles of beer and a half pint of whisky were found in their possession, the agents say. The saloon keeper is not blamed for making the sale, as the men were not in uniform.

The campaign of the commission on Military Training Camp Activities against immorality and the sale of liquor to soldiers is not aimed particularly at St. Louis.

"Please correct this impression, if such impression was created by anything I was quoted as saying," said Raymond B. Fiedick, civilian chairman of the commission, in a letter received today by George M. Brown, president of the St. Louis Branch of the National Security League.

"There is a nation-wide movement to clean up conditions in the vicinity of army camps and posts, as a matter not only of morals, but of military efficiency. The reports coming from St. Louis in regard to conditions, particularly in the County, were such as to lead us to believe that immediate action should be taken. The commission, of course, that the county and city authorities will cooperate to the utmost, and that the conditions complained of will be remedied at once."

"The support of your organization in this matter is thoroughly appreciated."

## SEVERAL THOUSAND ATTEND OPEN AIR MASS AT BARRACKS

Field Headquarters of Knights of Columbus Dedicated Following the Service.

Open-air mass at Jefferson Barracks yesterday morning was attended by several thousand civilians, as well as by many men in uniform. The altar was placed in a music stand on a slight elevation above the shaded ground where the audience sat, stood or knelt in different parts of the service.

The Rev. Father E. C. McFadden was celebrant of the mass, and the Rev. Father J. J. O'Brien preached the sermon, which was of a patriotic character. Father O'Brien spoke of the charges of vice conditions around the Barracks as being "nothing more than slander," and said that Col. Irwin, the commandant, had done all in his power to look after the soldier's spiritual interests.

The Knights of Columbus Choral Club, under the direction of William T. Deibel, sang Perosi's mass. Soldiers in khaki served as acolytes at the altar.

Following the service the field headquarters of the Knights of Columbus, built by the St. Louis members of the order for the use of the soldiers, were dedicated, with talks by Father McFadden, Joseph Kane, Col. Irwin and others.

## BODY OF NEGRO GIRL, AGED 7, IS FOUND IN AN ASH PIT

Negro Laborer Confesses to Mutilating and Choking the Child to Death.

The body of Pearl Irene Newbold, a negro girl, 7 years old, daughter of Mrs. Lena Harris, 1212 Clark avenue, was found at 7 o'clock this morning in an ash pit in the rear of 100 South Fourth street. Marks on the throat indicated that she had been strangled. Her clothing and garments identified as belonging to Walter Diggs, a negro, who lives at that address, were found in the adjoining yard.

The body was found by Mrs. Thomas Jones of 1212 Clark avenue, in whose care the child was left by Mrs. Harris yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Jones said the child was with Diggs after she returned from Sunday school at 2 p. m., and that Diggs bought her ice cream and took her to his room.

Diggs, who is 28 years old and a laborer, was arrested. He at first denied knowledge of the crime, but after questioning the greater part of the forenoon at the Central Police Station he confessed that he had mutilated the child and choked her to death.

## NO DEPOSIT REQUIRED From residence customers for Union Electric Light & Power Co. service.—Adv.

## PRESS IN GERMANY BITTERLY ASSAILS PRESIDENT'S SPEECH

Discussion of Flag Day Address and of Note to Russia Reflect Ardent Desire for Peace in East.

AMSTERDAM, June 18.—Under the headings "Wilson Without a Mask," "Answer of Hypocrite Wilson," "Wilson in Delirium," the Berlin and German provincial papers print lengthy summaries of President Wilson's Flag day speech and the Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung statement on the President's note to Russia. In many cases the two pronouncements are discussed in conjunction.

The comments on the note to Russia clearly reflect the ardent desire in Germany to make peace with her Eastern foe while they repeat the familiar declaration about the position on all points being favorable and about the iron determination to win a victory if the proffered hand is not accepted. As an example the Vossische Zeitung says: "Not only is time working on our side, but also sound human understanding."

Up in the Mountains. The summer hotel man is preparing a feast of fine fare and fun—and invites you to enjoy. See the POST-DISPATCH Resort and Country Board columns on the last page—especially Sunday.

# Scruggs - Vandervoort - Barney

Store Hours: 8:30 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Olive and Locust From Ninth to Tenth

## Of Special Interest to Tuesday Shoppers

Shop Early—Check the Items You Want to See

### WAISTS

All Kinds—All Prices

Women's Waists, made of voile in box-plaited style, with two-in-one collar, extra sizes 37 to 53. Price, \$1.95

Voile Waists, with tiny pin tucks in the front and large square collar. Price, \$3.50

Waists of Organdy, trimmed with fancy insertion and Val lace. Price, \$4.00

Tan Silk Shirts, with large square collar and fastened with one large button. Price, \$6.00

Smart Tailored Waists, of white and flesh colored Crepe de Chine, \$7.50

Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine, and all-white tubable Silks, Voiles, Organdies and Handkerchief Linen—dresy and tailored models—featuring the new cuff and collar ideas. Price, \$5.00

Waists of Crossbar Voile, Striped Voile and Organdy—many new models for choice, including the new vest effects. Sizes 34 to 46. Price, \$1.00

Voile and Organdy Waists, in a variety of styles, including pretty box plaits and tiny tuck effects. Price, \$1.95

Linen and Dimity Shirts, in the effective fancy tucked styles with two-in-one collar. Price, \$3.50

Fine Tucked Voile Waists, in various models, with flat and rolling collars. Price, \$3.95

Waist Shop—Third Floor.

### Women's Dresses

Women's New Cotton Dresses, of striped, figured, corded and fancy voiles, including smart combinations of white and Summer colors. Ten styles for choice in the lot. at, \$5.00

Another lot of New Dresses for women.

Attractive Summer models of plain and novelty voiles, piques and beach cloth, tailored and dresy effects in fourteen models. Choice, \$7.75

Inexpensive Dress Shop.

### Items of Interest

We have established on our third floor a special section showing Uniforms and Needs for the Hospital and Volunteer Nurses. This announcement gives us the keenest satisfaction, as this display is not only attractive, but can be of the greatest help in the time of need to the Nurses who are so loyally doing their part in serving their Country.

Third Floor.

We are showing excellent Summer Comforts of very light weight in attractive figured silk mull tops, finished with a 9-inch plain silk border. The old-fashioned quilted quilt is very quiet of figured imported nainsook.

Bedding Shop—Second Floor.

The Organdy Collars, with the new roll effect, and cuffs to match are most effective when worn with the satin or taffeta frock. Orders will be taken for these in all the new designs.

Neckwear Shop—First Floor.

Hosiery in most unusual and attractive designs and beautiful quality are in the lace ankle effect, the full length lace stripe, and the embroidered front; they come in a vast array of colors that are so popular these days. Also the Sports Stockings have wonderful coloring, gold and black stripe, blue, green and white stripes. Priced \$3.50 to \$6.50.

Hosiery Shop—First Floor.

Among the New Books of the year there is no lack of good fiction for Summer reading—all the latest books are carried in our Book Shop.

First Floor.

### In the Basement Shop

Your choice of 315 Waists, made of crepe de chine and wash stripe pongee. Sizes 34 to 46. Reduced for special Selling to, \$2.48

A small lot of 48 Long Duster Coats, in the tan linen shade.

Just the kind of a Coat for Summer motoring. Sizes 36 to 48. Will be offered tomorrow at, \$2.49

100 White Skirts, of washable gabardine, piques and honeycomb; showing the new pockets, gathered backs and belt effects. On sale tomorrow at, \$1.49

210 Tub Silk Waists, in plain tailored models, of Shantung, Habutai and Crepe de Chine, will be offered tomorrow, owing to their being slightly mussed, at, \$1.50

115 Wash Skirts, of white pique, made with envelope pointed and fancy flap pockets. Special tomorrow at, \$1.95

35 Guest Dusters for automobile use. Made with belted back, deep cuffs and 6-inch collar. Special at, \$1.95

250 Voile and Organdy Waists, with lace and embroidery trimmings—white and striped effects; sizes 34 to 44. Specially priced at, \$50c

135 Seco Silk Waists, in plain white and colored striped effects—made with large round collars. Priced, \$50c

250 Summer Waists, of good quality white voile. Tailored models, also styles with lace and embroidery trimming. \$89c

55 Silk Dresses, including models in our Basement Shop that sold up to \$14.75. Dresses for afternoon and street wear. Specially priced tomorrow at, \$7.95

25 Taffeta Silk Dress Skirts, in navy blue, black and fancy stripes; made with novelty-pointed pockets. Price, \$4.95

Serge and Poplin Suits, in small women's sizes only. The colors are navy, green and gold. Special at, \$7.95

21 Women's and Misses Coats, of navy blue wool serge; good styles and all sizes; at, \$7.50

Gingham Dresses for the girl from 6 to 14 years at, \$1.45

Basement Shop.

### Summer Dress Skirts

Hundreds of separate Dress Skirts of cloth and washable materials, showing the season's best style features, are offered at particularly attractive prices.

The Wash Skirts are priced

\$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$4.95

The Cloth Skirts—plain colors, black, navy, fancy plaids and checks—only two or three of a kind—priced—

\$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95 and \$6.50

Skirt Shop—Third Floor.

### Notions That You May Need

Black and White Inside Cotton Belting—one of the most popular items in the Notion Shop today—1 1/2 to 2 1/2 inch widths, usually 10c the yard, special tomorrow at, 5c

Household Aprons—of rubber cloth in plain white or with floral patterns; large and small sizes and each nicely bound with tape. Price, 50c and \$1.00

Tourists' Rubber Lined Toilet Cases—of cretonne, made with many convenient compartments; Summer wash skirts; assorted sizes, the dozen, 25c, 50c and 75c

Notion Shop—First Floor.

Middy Embroidered Sets—in single, Anchor and two-star styles, the colors are red, white and blue, the set, 15c and 25c

We are showing a splendid variety of Buttons for use on the new Jersey cloth suits and coats. The lines include handsome pearl, ivory and color combinations, large and small sizes; the dozen, 35c to \$2.75

Fine Quality Pearl Buttons—in self-shank styles in many new designs particularly smart for Summer wash skirts; assorted sizes, the dozen, 40c to \$2

### Girls' Apparel

Girls' Gingham Dresses—sizes 6 to 12 years.....\$2.50

White Batiste Dresses in tucked models for girls of 6 to 14 years.....\$2.50

Japanese Crepe Dresses in pink, blue and green—sizes 6 to 14 years.....\$2.50

Girls' Gingham and Chambray Dresses—sizes 6 to 14 years.....\$2.50

White Lingerie Dresses for girls of 6 and 12 years.....\$2.50

Girls' Linen Dresses—sizes 6 to 14 years.....\$2.50

Dainty Lingerie Dresses in sizes 14 to 18 years—intermediate.....\$7.50

Girls' Middy Blouses in short sleeve styles—sizes 6 to 22 years.....\$1.15

Middy Blouses with pink, blue or green collars—sizes 6 to 18 years.....\$1.25

Girls' White Plaited Skirts—sizes 6 to 14 years.....\$1.50

Girls' Shop—Third Floor.

### In the Mourning Shop

Black Crepe de Chine Blouses of splendid quality, made in cluster tuck style with convertible collar. Price, \$1.50

Black Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe Blouses in variety of Summer styles with square neck, V-neck and high collars—exceptionally good quality at, \$3.50

Mourning Shop—Third Floor.

Womens Natural Colored Linen and Khaki Cloth Motor Coats made on full loose lines and with or without belt, finished with large patch pockets and convertible collar. Price, \$5.50

Coat Shop—Third Floor.

### Misses' Dresses Inexpensively Priced

A lot of new Linen Dresses in misses' sizes are shown in tan with colored trimming; Tuesday at, \$6.50

Gingham and Cloth Dresses in stripes, plaids, a new lot just received—copies of smart silk dress models; special Tuesday at, \$7.50

Misses' Dresses of flowered, figured and striped voiles—simple but effective styles for young girls. Price, \$7.50

Misses' Shop—Third Floor.

### Help St. Louis

Complete its New Regiment, the Fifth Missouri.

Come yourself or send a man.

716 Olive Street or Armory, Grand and Market.



### Corset Thoughts

Correct appearance is not difficult to attain if you take thought of your corset.

Remember that it must set off to best advantage the lines of your gown.

In this particular R. & G. Corsets are notably successful. They have those elusive qualities of finish and fit only possible when the most expert workmanship is employed.

R. & G. Corsets

\$1.00 and \$2.00

Corset Shop—Third Floor.

### A Three-Day Selling Event

Begins Tomorrow in Our Lace Shop

The woman of thrift will find it to her interest to take advantage of the special offerings to be made Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

10% Discount Tuesday on our immense stock of Real Fillet, Real Irish and Real Val Laces. This applies to everything in this line—our most exquisite patterns—and will be allowed for one day only—tomorrow.

See Tuesday's evening papers for details of Wednesday's event.

Lace Shop—First Floor.

### Women's Sorosis Shoes

Bathing Sandals—red and black.....\$2.00

Bathing Sandals.....\$2.00

Lace Bathing Shoes, in colors.....\$1.00

Sneakers.....\$1.00

Black Kid, Red Kid and Cretonne Slippers.....\$1.50

Children's Barefoot Sandals.....\$1.50

Satin Boudoir Slippers—pink, blue, red and black.....\$2.00

Special Brown Kid Pumps, with brown suede quarters.....\$5.25

One-strap House Slippers.....\$2.00

White Canvas Pumps and Oxfords.....\$2.45

"Sample" Pumps.....\$3.55

Pumps and Oxfords—broken lines.....\$4.65

Broken lines of fine Shoes.....\$7.85

Second Floor.



## LOST OF HIS BAGGAGE WHISKY

A patrolman to help him search for his grip, which he had left in a Market street store, near Union station, in which no trace of the grip was found, the policeman asked Abraham to describe the contents of the bag so that he might continue the search. Abraham reluctantly said the bag contained three quarts of whisky and a revolver.

## COUPON SALE

Tuesday is Coupon Day. None of the following goods sold at these prices unless Coupon is presented. No mail, phone or C. O. D. orders taken.

WE GIVE AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS

**ST. LOUIS BARGAIN CENTER**  
**Jenny & Gentes**  
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.

**1.50 Petticoats**  
Made of Tussah silk; special for Tuesday's selling; only with coupon, at... **44c**

**Sport Hats**  
Mulan Hand-Salier and Mush-wash; with ribbon; only with coupon, at... **44c**

**79c Silk Gloves**  
Milanese silk, two clasp, double finger tips, white or black; only with coupon, at... **59c**

**1.25 Silk**  
Taffeta; yard wide, fast black; only with coupon, at... **89c**

**15c Ribbon**  
All silk, satin Ribbons, wide widths for hair bows, sashes and girdles; nearly all shades; yard... **9c**

**4 Balls O. N. T. or R. M. C. Crochet Cotton**  
Mercerized, in numbers—white or ecru—only with coupon, Tuesday... **25c**

**25c Corsets**  
Pink Broadcloth Corsets; double boned and rustless; with coupon, Tuesday... **1.35**

**1.25 Wash Skirts**  
This season's greatest bargain in crisp, new, tailored White Tub Skirts, fashioned on smart, clean-cut lines, with wide, loose girdles and fancy pockets, made of honest combs, gabardine, corded materials, also awning stripes; come in 24 waist-bands and 37 to 42 lengths... **88c**

**85c Lace Curtains**  
Nottingham Lace, 3 yds. long; white and ecru; Tuesday, per pair... **50c**

**10c Curtain Scrims**  
3000 yards white and ecru Curtain Scrim; fancy borders; with coupon, yard... **5c**

**1.50 Union Suits**  
For Men; Genuine French; silk trimmed, closed crotch, short sleeves, 34 to 46 inches long; sizes 34 to 46... **95c**

**19c Hose**  
Black only; double heel and toe; light weight; all sizes; pair, at... **9c**

**39c Suiting**  
Linen-finished Suiting, in sport dots, 36 inches wide, yard... **15c**

**50c Union Suits**  
For women; extra large sizes, 40 to 44, lace or cuff knee, taped all over... **29c**

**40c Window Screens**  
24 inches high, and extends to 33 inches, at... **29c**

**4.00 Garden Hose**  
1/2-inch extra quality rubber; 60 feet; with coupling; only with coupon... **\$2.39**

**\$3 Laundry Stoves**  
Made of heavy castiron—has two 8-inch holes—burns coal or wood, at... **\$2.19**

**89c Clothes Baskets**  
Large size with strong wooden bottom; with coupon... **63c**

## FOOD NEWS VIES WITH WAR NEWS IN GERMAN PRESS

Whether Supplies Will Last Until Mid-August All Absorbing Topic Among People.

By CYRIL BROWN  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.  
(Copyright, 1917, by Press Pub. Co.)  
STOCKHOLM, June 18.—The German press has been so much taken in Germany about food as there is today. Food continues to be the principal, the almost absorbing topic of conversation and thought. There is almost as much food news in the newspapers and much of it is suggestively fascinating.

In a private letter I received recently from Southern Germany my correspondent wrote: "Everybody is too busy wondering what he will get to eat next to bother much about America's entry into the war."

This statement may be accepted as representative of the present German state of mind. There are signs of anxiety verging on nervousness coming out among the masses regarding the food situation. In consequence of this, current newspapers are filled with official, semi-official and "inspired" assurances that there is no cause for alarm.

The frequency with which these announcements are being issued, coupled with the fact that the food authorities almost continually issue statements that Germany can hold out to a victorious peace, are highly significant.

Citizens Near at Hand.  
The authorities know and the public is beginning to realize that the climax of the hunger war is close at hand; that the gravest food crisis is pressing out among the masses and that it will depend on the crops.

Germany will live through the next two months with the certainty that they will not starve by fall, but under the ominous shadow of a famine thereafter. Recently the German Socialist Sassenbach, attending the Stockholm conference, said: "It is a matter of life and death for Germany that it should not starve by fall, but under the ominous shadow of a famine thereafter."

Germany is still able to draw on its two lines of strategic food reserves—first, her immense supply of livestock which, despite the army's requirements, numbers more than 20,000,000 head and forms the first food line of defense against famine; and, second, her huge quantities of canned, preserved and dehydrated food product reserves, which were unostentatiously drawn from consumption last summer and fall and jealously hoarded by the bureaucratic authorities against the present emergency.

People Stated in Spirit.  
These food reserves are now being dispensed with rigid caution in almost homopathic quantities to the German people. The masses are able to eke out a bare existence but not much more. In view of still large reserves, official assurances that Germany can hold out until the new harvest may be accepted in full as a fact to be calculated with, although there is no statistical material available as to the one really vital question—what food balance of clandestinely hoarded reserves can be carried forward into the new year, and how long it will last in case of another crop failure, with realization that in this eventuality even peace would work no change for better.

Still, the spirit of the German people as a whole continues to be one of optimism and refusal to believe that the weather gods will fail to be with them. In general the situation today may be summarized as follows:

Food conditions in Berlin are bad. In other large cities they range from bad to reasonably poor. In the Prussian provinces and in South Germany they are fair to middling. In a few fat food district conditions are good.

The gravity of the general situation and the realization that Germany will only squeeze through with the smallest imaginable margin is reflected in the increasing number of food restrictions. Other tentative measures also betray the growing gravity, such as the movements to send thousands of Berlin school children into the country over the summer and the projected mobilization of older school boys and high school students as agricultural laborers.

Prof. Paul Hildebrand, a famous pedagogue, wrote recently: "The grave danger of malnutrition now threatens the youth of the capital. In Berlin a state of need now prevails. Our school children would be better off outside."

Another significant symptom is the rigid food regulation applying to travelers in Germany, which goes into effect today. Before starting on your journey you must now turn over to the authorities all your unused food cards with the exception of the imperial meat soup card, and obtain official certificates that you have done so. Otherwise when reaching your destination you cannot get out of camp.

Old and New Cards Used.  
These stringent regulations are necessitated by the fact that many who could afford it obtained additional and in some cases double rationing in the leaving towns, and continued to use old food cards as well as the new ones at their destination.

The favorite means of getting a fair meal in Germany has been the use of a doctor's prescription for extra food. One learns of increasing numbers of cases of blood poisoning as the result of eating bad fish and other bad food. Food frauds and thefts are likewise on the increase. These cases are sometimes humorous. As an example, described recently at midnight searched a suspicious looking baby carriage and found that instead of a baby it contained hams.

## Motorcyclist Is Badly Hurt.

Leo Ellison, 29 years old, of 1818 Berkeley avenue, was seriously injured early this morning when he was thrown from a motor cycle in front of 471 Easton avenue. He suffered a fracture of the left leg and internal injuries.

## Illinois Legislature Ends Work.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 18.—The 71st Illinois General Assembly quit work at 7 a. m. yesterday, after an all-night session. A perfunctory session will be held June 29, when the adjournment will be taken.

## Red Cross Quota Ready Work.

TULSON, Ariz., June 18.—Tulson, a city of 12,000 at this time of the year, was asked to raise \$25,000 as its share of the \$100,000 Red Cross fund. The young women in charge of the Red Cross work here reported a week ago that they had accumulated the \$25,000.

## Our Storage and Safe Deposit Vaults.

See Price, Insurance and Risk Record. St. Louis Union Trust Co., 4th & Locust. —ADV.

## TUESDAY'S BLUE BIRDS

Each Week Greater Numbers of Our Patrons Are Taking Advantage of BLUE BIRD DAY. Read This List Over Carefully. Remember That the Prices Are for Tuesday Only.

**Blue Bird No. 25,548—Tuesday Only.**  
25c Gingham, 20c  
32-in. Dress Gingham, in plaids and stripes  
Blue Bird No. 25,549—Tuesday Only.  
35c Madras, 30c  
32-in. Madras, white and colored grounds with woven colored stripes.  
Blue Bird No. 25,570—Tuesday Only.  
25c Tissue, 20c  
36-in. Tissue Gingham, with woven colored stripes.  
Blue Bird No. 25,571—Tuesday Only.  
2.00 Suiting, 1.50  
50-in. Wool Epingle; Spring weight; hard finish, colors and black.  
Blue Bird No. 25,572—Tuesday Only.  
1.25 Mohair, 1.00  
42-in. English Mohair; Spring weight; plain or fancy effects.  
Blue Bird No. 25,573—Tuesday Only.  
2.00 Tub Silks, 1.50  
32-in. Satin Tub Silks; extra heavy quality.  
Blue Bird No. 25,574—Tuesday Only.  
2.50 Crepe de Chine, 2.00  
40-in. Crepe de Chine; light and dark colors of black.  
Blue Bird No. 25,575—Tuesday Only.  
3.50 Silk Poplin, 3.00  
40-in. Oyster White Silk Poplin; lustrous silk finish.  
Blue Bird No. 25,576—Tuesday Only.  
1.50 Taffetas, 1.20  
Yard-wide Chiffon Taffetas; all colors, white, ivory and black.  
Blue Bird No. 25,577—Tuesday Only.  
2.15 Glasses, 1.75  
Footed Sherbet Glasses; star cut pattern; per set of six.  
Blue Bird No. 25,578—Tuesday Only.  
85c Water Sets, 50c  
7-piece plain blown Water Sets; straight shaped jug and 6 tumblers.  
Blue Bird No. 25,579—Tuesday Only.  
69c Jardinieres, 50c  
Fancy blown and other effects; 7 and 8 inches high.

**Blue Bird No. 25,548—Tuesday Only.**  
1.25 Ivory, 1.00  
Ivory Puff Boxes or Hair Receivers; large size; grained ivory.  
Blue Bird No. 25,559—Tuesday Only.  
1.00 Sun Glasses, 80c  
Amber Sun Glasses; shell rims; for golfers and automobilists.  
Blue Bird No. 25,560—Tuesday Only.  
50c Leather Belts, 40c  
White Kid Leather Belts with kid covered buckle.  
Blue Bird No. 25,561—Tuesday Only.  
23.50 Trunks, 18.50  
Hard fiber, full size Wardrobe Trunks; cretonne lining.  
Blue Bird No. 25,562—Tuesday Only.  
20.00 Bags, 16.00  
Heavy sole leather cowhide Traveling Bags; hand sewed.  
Blue Bird No. 25,563—Tuesday Only.  
75c Albums, 50c  
Kodak Albums; loose leaf; 98 pages acid-proof paper; 7x11 in.  
Blue Bird No. 25,564—Tuesday Only.  
50c Medallions, 45c  
3 1/4 inches square, real Fiat Medallions, so much in vogue at present.  
Blue Bird No. 25,565—Tuesday Only.  
2.00 Crepe, 1.50  
40-in. Georgette; evening and street shades, excepting black, white and flesh.  
Blue Bird No. 25,566—Tuesday Only.  
50c Gloves, 70c  
2-clasp Women's Milanese Silk Gloves; white.  
Blue Bird No. 25,567—Tuesday Only.  
1.25 Gloves, 1.00  
Men's Milanese Silk Gloves; gray.  
Blue Bird No. 25,568—Tuesday Only.  
70c Hosiery, 55c  
Women's Boot Silk Hosiery; deep hosiery; double soles; lavender, gray and white.

**Blue Bird No. 25,513—Tuesday Only.**  
10.00 Wash Dresses, 7.75  
Misses' gingham, gabardine and chambray; sizes 14, 16 and 18.  
Blue Bird No. 25,514—Tuesday Only.  
2.50 Umbrellas, 2.00  
Men's and women's; fine part silk cover; sterling trimmed handles.  
Blue Bird No. 25,515—Tuesday Only.  
35.00 Hats, 4.00  
Midsummer Trimmed Hats, in all new ideas.  
Blue Bird No. 25,516—Tuesday Only.  
1.25 Vests, 1.00  
Chiffon Vests, with fancy borders; light or dark shades.  
Blue Bird No. 25,517—Tuesday Only.  
1.75 Sets, 1.25  
Net Collar and Cuff Sets; hand embroidered and lace trimmed.  
Blue Bird No. 25,518—Tuesday Only.  
25c Ribbons, 20c  
Moire Ribbons; beautifully moired; good selection of colors.  
Blue Bird No. 25,519—Tuesday Only.  
50c Ribbon, 45c  
Moire Ribbon, 7 1/2 in. wide; good quality; big variety of colors.  
Blue Bird No. 25,520—Tuesday Only.  
50c Handkerchiefs, 40c  
Women's one cornered embroidery; hand work on Irish linen.  
Blue Bird No. 25,521—Tuesday Only.  
50c Handkerchiefs, 40c  
Men's colored border Silk Handkerchiefs; good designs and colors.  
Blue Bird No. 25,522—Tuesday Only.  
85c Linen, 65c  
36-in. Brown Linen, for art needle-work purposes.  
Blue Bird No. 25,523—Tuesday Only.  
60c Pillowcases, 45c  
36x42 Stamped Pillowcases; assorted designs on high-grade tubing.

**Blue Bird No. 25,524—Tuesday Only.**  
35.00 Corsets, 35.00  
La Vida Corsets, plus and Rich French. St. Louis Union Trust Co., 4th & Locust. —ADV.

**Blue Bird No. 25,525—Tuesday Only.**  
4.45 Chemises, 3.00  
Philippine handmade Envelope Chemise; Colorado and solid designs.  
Blue Bird No. 25,526—Tuesday Only.  
3.00 Gowns, 1.60  
Of tulle silk; in white; flounces finished with ruffles; elastic fitted.  
Blue Bird No. 25,527—Tuesday Only.  
7.50 Kimonos, 6.00  
Japanese Habutai Silk; hand embroidered; light and dark shades.  
Blue Bird No. 25,528—Tuesday Only.  
3.00 Petticoats, 2.50  
Of tub silk; in white; flounces finished with ruffles; elastic fitted.  
Blue Bird No. 25,529—Tuesday Only.  
3.95 Shirts, 3.40  
Men's Silk Shirts; solid colors and fancy stripes; sizes 14 to 17.  
Blue Bird No. 25,530—Tuesday Only.  
1.25 Pajamas, 80c  
Men's Pajamas, in solid colors and fancy stripes; all sizes.  
Blue Bird No. 25,531—Tuesday Only.  
15.00 Suits, 12.00  
Men's fast color navy blue Serge Suits; conservative models.  
Blue Bird No. 25,532—Tuesday Only.  
7.50 Suits, 6.00  
Boys' fancy mixture and check Suits, two pair knickerbockers; 6 to 13.  
Blue Bird No. 25,533—Tuesday Only.  
4.00 Pumps, 3.00  
Women's Pumps and Strap Slippers; patent, dull and canvas.  
Blue Bird No. 25,534—Tuesday Only.  
3.00 Pumps, 2.25  
Misses' Mary Jane Pumps; patent, gummetal and canvas; 1 1/2 to 2.  
Blue Bird No. 25,535—Tuesday Only.  
3.00 Shoes, 4.00  
Men's Shoes and Oxfords, in tan and black.

## 2d Day of the Great Silk Hosiery Sale!



**\$1.25 SILK STOCKINGS**, signs, bow knots, butterflies, etc., in contrasting combinations, also plain white and black Silk Stockings; sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.  
**\$1.50 SILK STOCKINGS**, in regular and out-sizes, in black and white, with hosiery or all-silk foot; sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.  
**\$2.00 SILK STOCKINGS**, in regular and out-sizes, in black and white; extra heavy quality, with silk or hosiery sole; 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.  
**SAMPLE PAIRS OF REGULAR \$1.50 AND \$2.00 SILK STOCKINGS**, which include solid colors, lace instep Stockings, Black Silk Stockings with white hand-embroidered silk clockings, Black Silk Stockings with hand-embroidered fancy insteps, silk and hosiery sole, black and colored drop-stitch Richelieu ribbed Silk Stockings and many plain and clocked Stockings in fancy colorings; navy, tan, brown, green, purple, gray, maize, champagne, sky, pink, flesh, bronze, white and black.

**Blue Bird No. 25,540—Tuesday Only.**  
\$41.15 Dinner Sets, \$32.00  
100-piece French China; all-over spray design; solid gold handles.  
Blue Bird No. 25,541—Tuesday Only.  
\$2.50 Bake Ovens, \$2.00  
Russia Iron 1 burner. For gas, gasoline or kerosene stoves.  
Blue Bird No. 25,542—Tuesday Only.  
1.00 Stoves, 80c  
Sterns Alcohol Stoves, complete with kettle and alcohol.  
Blue Bird No. 25,543—Tuesday Only.  
2.00 Chamois, 1.50  
Extra large size Chamois Skins; first-class quality.  
Blue Bird No. 25,544—Tuesday Only.  
1.50 Kettles, 1.20  
6-quart Aluminum Preserving Kettles; 20-year guarantee quality.  
Blue Bird No. 25,545—Tuesday Only.  
85c Bath Towels, 65c  
24x45; made of best quality Terry cloth; white with colored stripes.  
Blue Bird No. 25,546—Tuesday Only.  
2.75 Table Damask, 2.00  
72-in. Linen Table Damask; full bleached double damask.  
Blue Bird No. 25,547—Tuesday Only.  
3.00 Tablecloths, 2.25  
70x85-in. Pattern Tablecloths; full bleached; handsome designs.  
Blue Bird No. 25,548—Tuesday Only.  
1.50 Hand Towels, 1.20  
24x43-in. Linen Hand Towels; plain white, hemstitched.  
Blue Bird No. 25,549—Tuesday Only.  
75c Organdie, 60c  
40-in. White Organdie with small embroidered figure.  
Blue Bird No. 25,550—Tuesday Only.  
2.00 Longcloth, 1.60  
10-yd. bolt of Longcloth for undergarments; 36 inches wide.  
Blue Bird No. 25,551—Tuesday Only.  
1.50 Brassiere, 1.25  
Tree Elastic Brassiere, a porous elastic woven bust supporter.

**Blue Bird No. 25,540—Tuesday Only.**  
39c Hair Hose, 30c  
Men's Hosiery, 30c  
Men's Hosiery, 30c  
Women's White Ribbed Hose; double heel and toe.  
Blue Bird No. 25,541—Tuesday Only.  
\$3.00 Union Suits, \$2.50  
Men's white Hosiery Union Suits; short sleeves, ankle length, all sizes.  
Blue Bird No. 25,542—Tuesday Only.  
1.00 Union Suits, 70c  
Men's knitted or nainsook Union Suits; all styles; sizes 34 to 46.  
Blue Bird No. 25,543—Tuesday Only.  
2.00 Vests, 1.60  
Women's Glove Silk Vests; pink and white; sizes 36, 38, 40 and 42.  
Blue Bird No. 25,544—Tuesday Only.  
65c Vests, 50c  
Women's Vests; low neck, sleeveless; all regular sizes.  
Blue Bird No. 25,545—Tuesday Only.  
10.00 Wash Dresses, \$8.00  
Gingham, plain and fancy combinations; solid colors and fancy stripes.  
Blue Bird No. 25,546—Tuesday Only.  
2.95 Wash Skirts, 2.25  
Ladies' Wash Skirts; gabardine, ladies and hosiery; all sizes.  
Blue Bird No. 25,547—Tuesday Only.  
\$3.00 Blouses, \$2.50  
Vests and Organdie Blouses, designs of embroidery and lace trimming.  
Blue Bird No. 25,548—Tuesday Only.  
4.00 Middie, \$3.00  
Linen trash Middie; contrasting checked collar, cuffs and belts.  
Blue Bird No. 25,549—Tuesday Only.  
7.50 Spread Sets, \$6.00  
Marcelline scalloped Spread Sets; 6 size, with roll cover to match.  
Blue Bird No. 25,550—Tuesday Only.  
10.50 Orib Bed, \$8.00  
Vernal gold or white; size 2 ft. 6 in. x 4 ft. 6 in.

**Blue Bird No. 25,540—Tuesday Only.**  
\$21.50 Carriages, \$18.00  
Gray, brown or cream colored reed; rubber tires and tubular frame.  
Blue Bird No. 25,541—Tuesday Only.  
\$36.00 Bicycles, \$30.00  
Double frame; non-skid tires; coaster brake; mud guards.  
Blue Bird No. 25,542—Tuesday Only.  
\$42.50 Rugs, \$37.00  
Sanford & Son's 9x12 Seamless Axminster Rugs; Oriental designs.  
Blue Bird No. 25,543—Tuesday Only.  
\$10.95 Rugs, \$8.90  
9x12 Seamless Reversible Domus Rugs; can be used on either side.  
Blue Bird No. 25,544—Tuesday Only.  
65c Linoleum, 45c  
2-yard-wide Cork Linoleum; blue and white tile effects and wood patterns.  
Blue Bird No. 25,545—Tuesday Only.  
\$3.25 Curtains, \$2.70  
Brussels, madras and flit weave Curtains; plain and figured.  
Blue Bird No. 25,546—Tuesday Only.  
80c Crotona, 40c  
36-inch fancy Crotona; excellent assortment of patterns and colors.  
Blue Bird No. 25,547—Tuesday Only.  
1.25 Madras, 90c  
48-inch Sunfast Madras; neat all-over effects; all leading colors.  
Blue Bird No. 25,548—Tuesday Only.  
\$4.95 Curtains, \$3.00  
Irish Point Curtains; artistic patterns; white and beige color.  
Blue Bird No. 25,549—Tuesday Only.  
\$1.00 Dresses, 75c  
Children's Gingham Empire or Middy Dresses; ages to 6 years.  
Blue Bird No. 25,550—Tuesday Only.  
1.95 Hats, 1.50  
Children's fancy white Lingerie Hats; ages 3 to 5 years.  
Blue Bird No. 25,551—Tuesday Only.  
\$8.50 Corsets, \$5.00  
Bon Ton Corsets, in pink brocade; low bust; sizes 24 to 32.

**Blue Bird No. 25,540—Tuesday Only.**  
\$4.00 Bric-a-brac, \$2.75  
Way, Switches; made on three separate stems.  
Blue Bird No. 25,541—Tuesday Only.  
50c Trimming, 40c  
Marabout Trimmings, with long flue; natural or black.  
Blue Bird No. 25,542—Tuesday Only.  
\$2.50 Silverware, \$1.90  
Sheffield reproduction; Boshon Baskets, Sandwich Plates and Marmalade Jars.  
Blue Bird No. 25,543—Tuesday Only.  
\$3.35 Silverware, \$2.50  
Sheffield reproduction; Silver Bell Baskets, Casseroles, Bread Trays, etc.  
Blue Bird No. 25,544—Tuesday Only.  
\$8.00 Hats, \$4.00  
Men's South American Panama, Milano, Split and Basket Hats.  
Blue Bird No. 25,545—Tuesday Only.  
\$2.65 Wash Suits, \$2.00  
Boys' new models; madras, kinder-garten cloth and rep; 2 1/2 to 3 yrs.  
Blue Bird No. 25,546—Tuesday Only.  
\$4.00 Trouser, \$3.00  
Men's and young men's striped worsteds, chevrons and plain blue serge.  
Blue Bird No. 25,547—Tuesday Only.  
\$1.50 Bed Sheets, \$1.30  
Reclined Bed Sheets; extra size, 90x90 inches.  
Blue Bird No. 25,548—Tuesday Only.  
\$2.70 Cloths, \$2.40  
73-inch Blue Japanese Luncheon Cloths; fine quality.  
Blue Bird No. 25,549—Tuesday Only.  
\$8.00 Velocipedes, \$6.00  
Strong frame, nicely painted; bicycle seat and handle bars; rubber tires.

## STERNBERG'S FIRE, SMOKE, WATER Damage Sale

ATTRACTED THE GREATEST CROWDS THAT EVER ENTERED OUR STORE  
WE THANK YOU

for your quick response to and keen appreciation of the wonderful values offered in this colossal fire, smoke, water, damage sale. We are sorry that we were not able to wait on you as we would have liked to, but under the circumstances, it was impossible. However, we will be able to give you the best of service tomorrow. Come here prepared to buy ready-to-wear garments, millinery, shoes and furs for present and future uses, at extraordinarily low prices—attend Tuesday.

Entire \$75,000 Stock of Women's & Misses' Outer Apparel, Millinery, Furs & Shoes, on Sale at

**25c on the \$1**

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**T**HIS advertisement is paid for by a few men who are impressed with the work of the Provident Association and want others to know of it. This is in addition to their regular subscriptions, and does not divert a dollar from the funds of the Association.

In these times of great prosperity, when work can be obtained by most any one who seeks it, we are prone to think that poverty and suffering are at an end.

We associate charity with blizzards and hard times, and completely forget that the unfortunate can be just as hungry without food in summer as they do in winter—that sickness is just as relentless, if not more so, in hot weather as it is in cold.

We forget that times of general prosperity do not bring relief to the widowed mother of little children—that the aged and infirm are no better off because there is plenty of work which they could do if they were able.

Nor do we stop to think that the greatly increased cost of living has put thousands of families in a position where they need help, because the dollars they earn cannot be stretched to cover their needs.

## St. Louis Provident Association

does not forget these things, because its workers are brought in touch with them every day. This great-hearted friend of the unfortunate looks after the distressed in St. Louis to the very limit of its ability. It does not dispense charity with a lavish hand—neither does it hand out begrudgingly the aid sought by the unfortunate. Every case which comes to its attention is investigated in a thorough but kindly way. No worthy applicant need shrink from its investigation—no unworthy impostor can hope to defraud it.

### Help which does not pauperize

Indiscriminate and unwise giving of money, food, clothing, etc., will pauperize families and make them permanently dependent upon charity. In cases where material help is actually needed, the Provident Association supplies it, but also immediately seeks to find the cause of the poverty and helps the unfortunate to remedy it. It helps the family to help itself by showing the way—thus lifting families out of their poverty by making them self-supporting and no longer a burden on the community.

It finds work for the unemployed.

It finds suitable work for the handicapped.

It makes a permanent provision for those who cannot work.

It finds medical care for the sick.

It gives instructions in hygiene and thrift.

It puts families and individuals in touch with Churches, Sunday Schools, Settlement Workers and other helpful agencies.

It communicates with friends or relatives who may help.

It prosecutes men who refuse to support their families.

### Facilities for finding the needy

Through many citizens, physicians, teachers, charitable, social and religious organizations, as well as by its own workers, the Provident Association has unusual facilities for finding those who need help. Also, by special arrangement with the Chief of Police, all policemen report immediately by phone all families or individuals they find in distress. Through a similar arrangement with the superintendent of instruction the attendance officers and nurses of the public schools report daily to the Provident Association the names of any children kept out of school by poverty.

### Relief stations scattered throughout the city

Five relief stations are so located throughout the city that it is unnecessary for those seeking help to go far for it. These stations also enable the Association workers to keep closer in touch with those cases where help must be taken to the needy.

### Summer health camp for women and children

This is a new and very necessary work just started by the Provident Association. The camp is located at Kimmswick, Mo., on the bluffs overlooking the Mississippi, just south of St. Louis. Here a big 24-room house, with large shaded grounds will comfortably accommodate from 30 to 50 mothers and small children. Two or three weeks in the country with plenty of fresh air and good food will do wonders in restoring health and strength to sickly mothers and children, convalescents and others whose lives depend upon fresh air, good food and healthful surroundings.

The camp is in charge of a graduate trained nurse, and a doctor is within call and will come as often as needed. This is a real charity and one which no other organization in St. Louis provides.

### No restrictions as to race, nationality or religion

Any person anywhere in the city of St. Louis who deservingly needs help, no matter what his race, religion or nationality may be, will find a friend in the Provident Association.

### Let the Provident Association administer your charities

Nearly every citizen of St. Louis contributes something to charity—either money, food, clothing, or all of them. Much of this giving is deserved and does good—much of it, through no fault of the giver, goes where it is not the most needed. Is it not better to give this help through the Provident Association, where you know that it will be used without waste, imposition or overindulgence? Would it not be a satisfaction to you to know that your contributions go only to the worthy—that necessary investigations would be made by persons trained in the work, without imposing on your time? Wouldn't it be gratifying to know that your money is going further through the Provident Association in relieving want than it would by direct giving?

You can be sure of these things if you will make your contributions to charity through the Provident Association.

Charitable work to be efficient must be systematic. In the Provident Association it is not only systematized, but sympathetic.

### All contributions go to relieve want—none to support the Association

The Provident Association administrative work is supported by endowment, so that all contributions are used in giving aid and service to the unfortunate. In giving through the Provident Association, you may know that every dollar is used in relieving want and helping the unfortunate to get on their feet.

The Provident Association work is one that every St. Louisan able to do so should support. Your support will be appreciated now—to provide for the work in hand—and hereafter for the great and necessary work that never fails to present itself, even in the best of times.

We want the support of those who can only afford to give a little, but who want to know that what they can give is well used. Such contributions are most desirable. Also we want the support of those who can give liberally. We want not only contributions of money, but also of food and clothing and household goods.

The Provident Association is a permanent institution, doing a necessary work, that is limited only by the contributions made through it by St. Louis citizens. Won't you look upon the Provident Association not merely as something to give to once and then be forgotten, but rather as a permanent means of dispensing your own charities, and, as such, plan to give to it regularly each year a definite sum? In this way your own charitable work will be conserved, your time saved, and your efforts made to count for the most.

### The kind of charity that helps

The following is typical of many cases that the Provident Association has helped. This sort of work does not pauperize—it builds up—it is the very best kind of charity.

#### A TRUE STORY

From the Files of the St. Louis Provident Association.

Case No. 3197.

W. E. was only 15 and they told him his mother had tuberculosis in an advanced stage. It was rather a staggering blow to a young chap. Up until now they had been able to manage somehow together since the father had deserted them; but the nurse told him that his mother must not do any more work, and that they should get out of the one room in a poor tenement where they lived in crowded quarters without sunlight and air. They might as well have told him that she ought to be sent for a trip to Europe, so impossible did it seem.

But the next day a friendly young woman came to see them who said she had been sent by the nurse. She talked with them a great deal about their situation, asking various questions, and finally told them that it might be possible to do some of the things that the nurse suggested. The boy was working at night in an iron foundry and his wages were small and he needed clothes and so did his mother.

When he awoke the next morning his mother's face was smiling, and there was a bundle of warm things for them both which had been sent by the pleasant young lady who had been there the day before, and she had told them that there had been found two very nice rooms on the second floor with windows facing the south, with good air and better surroundings; that there would be furniture in these rooms in a few days, and that they were to get ready their few belongings in preparation for moving.

It seemed almost too good to be true. Now it would not be necessary for the mother to go away in order to have the conditions that she needed, and he could take care of her as long as she lived without injuring his own health. When he went to work that night he was surprised to have his boss speak to him in a very friendly way and to talk to him about the chance to something better when he had reached 18 and would be permitted to work on a machine. It seems that the friendly lady had been to see him and had told him about the boy and his mother and had asked him to be a father to the lad. When the boy went to see the new home which had been furnished for them he was delighted to find that it was within a block of the home of his uncle to whom he was devoted as to a father; that there were good neighbors and that he was near a library where he had loved to go and get books to read. He discovered, too, that when he went to the library, the librarian seemed to take particular interest in him. She suggested just the sort of books that a 15-year-old boy would enjoy reading, and encouraged him to come often. He did not know that the friendly lady had talked to the librarian about him, too.

During the winter days there were times when the furnace would break down at the foundry and he would not have to work, and there was not enough coming in to supply his sick mother with all that she needed to keep her warm and well fed; but the lady with the kindly smile, who was a Provident Association visitor, would return ever and anon, and after her visit whatever was needed in the family, would be sent the next day.

Because he was relieved of worries at home the boy took a greater interest in his work and was soon advanced to a place where he received a much better wage, and so through the long weary months he kept the little home together and encouraged the sick mother until at last her days were ended and he had to close up the two rooms that had meant so much to him. But he had found himself; he had made his start, and now in the home of his uncle he is developing into a citizen of whom St. Louis may well be proud.

THAT'S SERVICE—IT PAYS.

To give you some idea of the character of work done by the Provident Association and the extent of it, we give below the figures for last year:

Families Cared for	
Families under care.....	4,473
Children under 14.....	6,712
Individuals in families.....	15,198
Women's Lodge	
Women.....	153
Children.....	71
Total days' care.....	1,347
Men's Lodge	
Homeless men cared for.....	493
Days' care.....	1,942
Number of the above that worked.....	280
Number that were cared for free because they were unable to work.....	183
Wage Yard	
Hours work to nonresident homeless men.....	1,884
Days' work to resident married men.....	3,101
Sewing Room and Laundry.....	482
Number of women employed.....	1,854
Number of days' work.....	1,854
Day Nursery	
Number of children cared for.....	205
Number of days cared.....	3,609
Visits Made	
To families.....	9,189
To others in behalf of families.....	7,113
Problems Presented	
Sickness (426).....	1,928
Unemployment (including insufficient employment).....	2,696
Old age.....	601
Insanity and feeble-mindedness.....	111
Intemperance.....	424
Widowhood.....	1,972
Desertion and separation.....	634

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# ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

ST. LOUIS, MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 18, 1917.—PART TWO.

**Easy to Plan for That Outing**  
With the Resorts and Country Board column on the first want pages, especially Sunday.  
8940 Post-Dispatch ROOM and BOARD Wants last month.  
206 More than the THREE nearest St. Louis newspapers combined.

## CHILDREN OF CLARK SCHOOL AID BABIES

Their Contribution First of Its Kind Received for Milk and Ice Fund.

**CONTRIBUTIONS.**  
Previously acknowledged... \$531.00  
In the list of acknowledgments of contributions to the Post-Dispatch Milk and Ice Fund in yesterday's Post-Dispatch, was one of \$1.55 by children of Clark School, at Cates avenue and Union boulevard. This was the first donation in that form to the cause of saving the poor and ailing infants from death and suffering. It was probably a large majority of the children composing the baby-saving fund attending the public schools. The contribution is cumulative evidence of the appeal in behalf of the tenement district infants, with their slender margin upon health and life when heat and poverty assail them, is steadily extending its scope and power.  
One of the enterprises organized and carried forward to splendid success by the girls and boys for the Milk and Ice fund are operated before the close of the school season, but many of them are initiated while the young people are still in the classrooms and their time is mostly claimed by studies. During that period, also, plans are made for conducting them to a finish during vacation, and as this is now in force, the campaign is expected to be marked by a vigor and enthusiasm that will steadily build the fund into impressive proportions.

## ST. LOUIS AMBULANCE UNIT TO DRIVE TRUCKS

Members Will Haul Supplies for French Army Instead of Wounded Soldiers.

Members of the Washington University ambulance unit, which left St. Louis May 19 for France, for the purpose of driving army ambulances, will instead drive motor trucks, loaded with food, ammunition and equipment for the French army. This was made known in a cablegram to Prof. John L. Lowes of Washington University, whose son is a member of the unit, and in a letter from E. D. Sleeper of Boston, American representative of the American Field Service in France.  
Sleeper said in his letter that the name of the American Ambulance Field Service in France had been changed by dropping the word "ambulance." The members will hereafter be used for other than ambulance service, and the St. Louis unit will probably all be used in transport service, as the work of driving food and munition trucks is called.  
Dr. Lowes sent a copy of Sleeper's letter to the parents of each member of the unit, that they might understand the reason for the changed character of the service in which the youths are to be used. Dr. Lowes sent his son a cablegram approving of his serving in the transport work, and he notified Sleeper that the unit should be used in whatever service it was most needed.  
In his letter of explanation Sleeper said there was no present need for the services of the youths as ambulance

## WOMAN WHO SHOT HOLDUP MAN SHOTS HER-HUSBAND

Mrs. Anna Petrosky Wounds Saloon Keeper in Shoulder When He Refuses to Come to Dinner.

Mrs. Anna Petrosky, 42 years old, shot and seriously wounded her husband, Mathias Petrosky, 42, a saloonkeeper, at their home, 1500 South Third street, yesterday, when he refused to come to dinner. The bullet went through Petrosky's right shoulder.  
She told the police that she and her husband had quarreled frequently because he did not treat her well, and that she had shot at him a few weeks before after a quarrel.  
Six weeks ago, when she was helping her husband in his saloon, Mrs. Petrosky shot at two holdup men who

## LAME NEGRO BEATEN ON CAR

Nelson Cooper, 66 years old, a lame negro, of 2850 Clark avenue, St. Louis, was badly beaten last night on a Collinsville car at Twenty first street and Lincoln avenue, East St. Louis, after he had refused to give a white woman his seat. He was thrown from the car, and was found on the street. He was taken to a hospital. Three white men are said to have attacked him.

## MAJ. JAMES BOURKE KILLS SELF

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Maj. James Bourke of the army medical corps shot and killed himself at his home here last night. He had been suffering from a mental breakdown. Maj. Bourke was born in Iowa and was a graduate of Rush Medical College and the Army and Navy Medical School.

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ere is no need," says "for complicated for milk, which serve to er or nurse to the point use proprietary foods, convenient and simple to pint of milk and a pint an ounce and a half of vide it into five feedings our hours." Good milk, is superior to any arti-Dr. Levy advocates long he feedings. The princ- in the case of the out-er society. Certainly, we do not give him square deal when we force him to live in cities, in tiny band-box flats where there is no space for his activities and energies, and where he is forced out on the streets in order that older people may not be driven by him into insane asylums.

Every boy is entitled to be raised on a farm where there is enough room for him to move about in the noble-de-hoy fashion, without knowing the best thing over, and where he can yell all he likes without breaking the peace. When we deprive him of his birthright of this freedom it is no wonder that we so often make him a criminal, and nearly always convert him into a sore tribulation to endure.

No, boys do not get a square deal with us. Not even in homes where they are really wanted and loved. Whoever hears of the boys getting the best room in the house? That is always given to the girls. Any sort of an attic chamber, or dark cubby hole is thought good enough for the boys, and they invariably fall heir to the hardest mattresses and the most dilapidated furniture in the family.

Maybe one of the reasons that boys hang and hack chairs and tables around so is because they have never had any of their own that have worth taking care of. There's nothing in a lot of old junk that inspires in your soul that love of beautiful surroundings that is the beginning of civilization.

And as for clothes—well, if there's any money to be spent on glad-rags it goes on sister's back. Mother worries and fusses over the girls' frocks, and tells father that they REALLY MUST have things that the very latest word in fashion or else they will be mortified to death to go among their friends.

But, if there is any economizing to be done, Johnny does it. Nobody considers it important how he looks so that he is moderately clean and has only a reasonable number of darns on his patches. Nobody realizes that Johnny sets just as much store upon having just the right bag to his knickers, or as razor-edged a crease in his trousers as sister does to the set of her skirt, and that he is just as sensitive to the boys' comment on his ties as she is to the girls' on her sleeves.

Worse still, the small boy is utterly neglected in regard to the important matters that are going to count in his life after life. Mother prepares sister for society, for making a good appearance in this world. She is taught how to approach people, how to enter and leave a room, and what to say.

But no one bothers to teach Johnny that. It is taken for granted that he is a hopeless savage because he is a boy, and so no one drills him in the niceties of life. The result is that little girls nearly always have good manners, while little boys are hoodlums.

These cafeterias have their distinct advantages and disadvantages. In the first place, the customer can see the food before him and choose for himself. In the second place, he gets more food, usually fully as well cooked and at a lower price, and has a larger variety to choose from, than in the ordinary restaurant. There is no tipping system to eat up his time.

Many dislike to wait upon themselves, even objecting to seeing so much food spread out before them. However this may be, the cafeteria becomes increasingly popular and women are rapidly taking their place with men as owners and operators.

Women are naturally adapted to the work. Their kitchens are neat; the human element with the helpers is emphasized prominently, and a friendly, close relation is established between these women and their customers which is not often found in other places.

Foolishness.

I'LL be love with Nellie Lake And asked her if the step she'd take. "You bet your life!" said pretty Nell. "But I don't dance so very well."

Dorothy Dix says Let Us Follow the Japanese Custom of Honoring the Small Boy.

In Japan the Fifth of May is sacred to the small boy. It is the boys' festival, and a national holiday. On that day above every household, in which there are boys, flags wave, and from tall standards float huge gaily painted carp—the boys' symbol—"for even as the carp swims upstream against the current so must a boy breast the difficulties in the river of life."

In the house, in the inner room, a scroll depicting some scene inspiring to a boy's imagination is brought forth and hung up in the kitchen and underneath it is erected a boy's altar, resplendent with effigies of the shoguns in helmet and armor, gorgeously robed daimyos, and stern two-sworded samurai of the past, and the natty sailors and soldiers of the present.

Before this are placed more standards with bright hued banners and tiny carp, and piles of glittering toys, for this is the Japanese boy's Christmas tree, and birthday rolled into one, and the occasion on which all of his friends and relatives are expected to make him presents.

And the streets are filled with myriads of chubby checked little lads, wearing the smile that won't come off, and sucking on adamant Japanese candy while they proudly exhibit their gifts to each other.

Lumps. Little Mary drops you a courtesy when you speak to her, and hopes you are well, and so on, but little Johnny keeps his hat on and says "To" to a woman old enough to be his grandmother.

That's why boys have to leave home when they are grown to get a start in their profession or business. Every day remembers Johnny Jones as such a surly, ill-mannered little cub they can't realize that he has developed, by the grace of God, and not through his parents' fault, into a fine courteous gentleman.

Worse still, so far as the treatment accorded boys goes, is the fact that no one seems to realize that a small boy is the most sensitive creature on earth, and the most hungry hearted. He writhes under ridicule as under torture, yet his callous family have no hesitation in calling public attention to his faults and blunders, and making him the laughing stock of the neighborhood. The funny stories they tell to guests. That's why boys spring up in themselves and hide what they really think and feel, so completely that their parents know less of them than they do of any stranger that crosses their path.

And the small boy just aches to be petted, to be caressed, to be talked to, and sympathized with, and understood, and praised. And he so seldom gets even a kind word. It's his faults he hears about so often that it is no wonder that one small boy, when asked what was his name, said that he didn't know—that it was either Johnny Don't or Johnny Run. He was called one about as often as the other.

The Japanese set apart a day to honor the small boy, exclusively and individually. The Japanese small boy is courteous, kindly, gentle and considerate of others. He doesn't even yell like a Comanche when he plays football, and you never see him in a street fight. Perhaps he is polite because he is treated politely.

Let's follow the Japanese custom of honoring the small boy and see if we can't civilize the American small boy, too.

A New Seaport

A NEW seaport recently built by the Government on the east side of the Island of Luzon will shorten the voyage to the Philippines from American ports by three to five days. Manila, the destination heretofore of all army transports and most of the commerce of the islands, lies on the west coast of Luzon, and while convenient for Spanish trade sailing eastward, it involves an unnecessary trip around the coast for American ships. The new port is located at a place called Hondaig, meaning "deep water," which is also the terminus of a new railroad from Manila, says Popular Mechanics.

The improvements made by United States engineers have laid the foundation for a great modern port, from which passengers can reach Manila in a few hours by the new railroad, and the improved means of transportation will open up to commerce 200 or 300 miles of coast hitherto practically isolated and thousands of acres of rich agricultural lands, producing hemp and coconuts in profusion. The harbor at Hondaig is deep, extensive and almost landlocked by a large island lying across the mouth.

Women in Cafeteria Business

MORE and more women are taking over the management of cafes and now many in St. Louis and Chicago are operating cafeterias, which not only provide a large number of business men and women with good food, at prices below the regular restaurant scale.

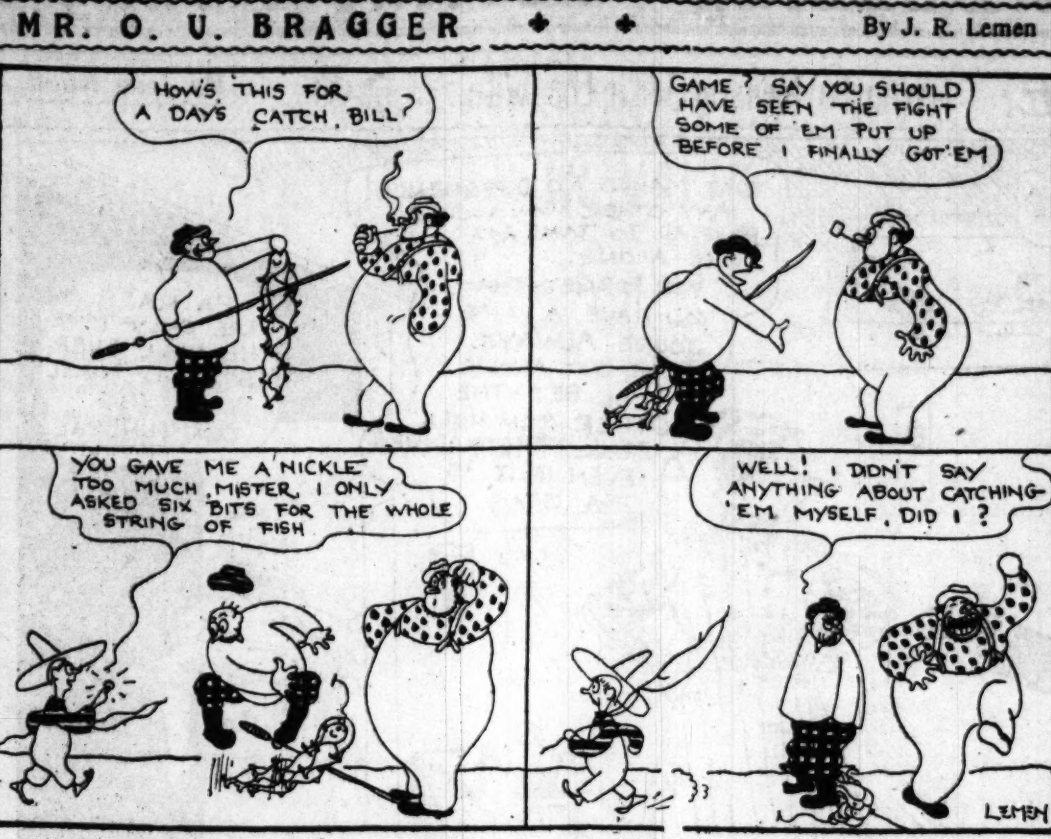
These cafeterias have their distinct advantages and disadvantages. In the first place, the customer can see the food before him and choose for himself. In the second place, he gets more food, usually fully as well cooked and at a lower price, and has a larger variety to choose from, than in the ordinary restaurant. There is no tipping system to eat up his time.

Many dislike to wait upon themselves, even objecting to seeing so much food spread out before them. However this may be, the cafeteria becomes increasingly popular and women are rapidly taking their place with men as owners and operators.

Women are naturally adapted to the work. Their kitchens are neat; the human element with the helpers is emphasized prominently, and a friendly, close relation is established between these women and their customers which is not often found in other places.

Foolishness.

I'LL be love with Nellie Lake And asked her if the step she'd take. "You bet your life!" said pretty Nell. "But I don't dance so very well."



What Germany Expected to Get From the U. S.

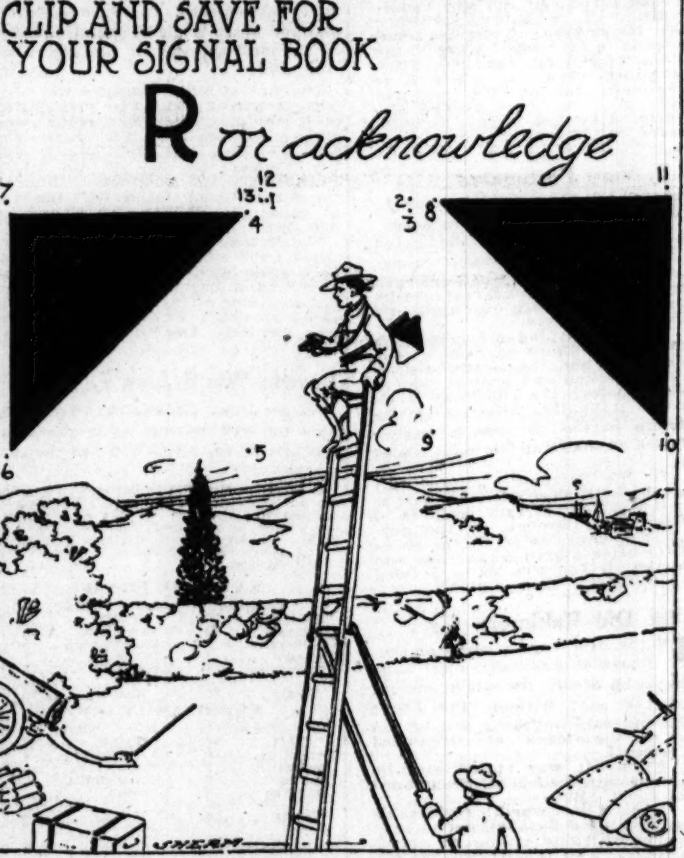
THERE has been wide speculation as to what plans Germany had foot to improve her economic condition after peace comes. Information which has been furnished to the American Government by a Consul in Switzerland reveals that Germany was depending upon our aid to a great extent in the work of rebuilding her industries.

According to reports received in Bern a plan was worked out which contemplated primarily the conservation of the German mark until the return of normal conditions. To prevent the mark from leaving the empire it was proposed that Germany replenish its depleted stores and stocks with the proceeds of short-term loans and treasury certificates negotiated and sold in neutral countries, notably the United States. The successful culmination of this plan was to accomplish two things—(1) to give the Germans an exchange medium that was not depreciated and enable them to liquidate such loans with German wares; (2) to give the German mark time to recover its normal exchange value.

A very important part in the work of replenishment was to be assigned to the German mercantile marine. That marine was to be employed exclusively for the German trade. The control of all importations and export prices was to be lodged in Government hands. A governmental guarantee of payment was also to be offered to foreign firms disposed to make 12-month credit consignments to the German trade.

CHRIS. BORD of Fairfield, Conn., when told he was an alien, denied it. He said he was a Swede.

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WITH the artillery, said the lecturer, "the wig-wag system is something that cannot be under-estimated. The men use it to transmit messages and messages of all sort and the noise never bothers them a bit. Every man must learn it, and it doesn't take them long to send from six to ten words a minute. And when they see the signaler holding his right hand flag to the right of his body at a right angle to it and his left hand flag in a similar position to the left of his body, they know he is sending the letter 'R' or the word 'acknowledge'."

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DOCTORS Talk on INFANTILE PARALYSIS

NEW YORK, June 12.

A symposium on infantile paralysis at the Hotel McAlpin recently by the American Medical Association. Dr. Haven Emerson, Commissioner of Health, outlined the precautions that will be taken to prevent a recurrence of the epidemic here this year. He pointed out that the ignorance of the medical men as to the control of the disease last year was "complete." Now a great deal more is known.

Dr. Emerson said that it was just a year ago that the Baby Welfare Association notified the Department of Health of six cases of paralysis. He gave details of the measures for protection, including isolation for three weeks for sufferers and two weeks for children in the same household with sufferers, that will be taken this summer. Children with normal throats, he said, are less susceptible to the disease than those who have abnormal throats and tonsils or adenoids that cause trouble.

Dr. C. L. Dana, member of a joint committee of the New York Academy of Medicine and the Neurological Society, argued that direct communication of the disease from person to person is clinically rare. He favored the theory that the disease is spread by its communication to insects and animals and back again.

Dr. Charles Hartman of New York said infantile paralysis must be either very communicable or else there are a large number of carriers. He pointed out that diseases are not communicable, or which have not a large number of carriers, do not show such great decrease and increase. He prophesied that another epidemic will not occur in New York for several years.

Dr. Robert W. Lovett of Boston, one of the great experts of the country on the disease, read a highly technical paper, the substance of which was that a percentage of cures he hitherto had believed impossible may be obtained.

Dr. Herman Schwarz of Mount Sinai Hospital was one of the most pronounced champions of the belief that infantile paralysis is contagious. He said really there were 20,000 or 30,000 cases of the disease in New York last summer. He said that in one family he had found one child with a mild sore throat, a second child with tonsillitis and a third with poliomyelitis. He said all three really were suffering, in his opinion, from infantile paralysis, and that lumbar punctures in many cases had proven his belief.

Dr. George Draper and other physicians made it clear that the preponderance of opinion at the session is that infantile paralysis is contagious.

Many a man who boasts of his willingness to shed his last drop of blood for his country is doing his level best to avoid shedding the first one.

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# That Cardinal Pennant Bee Is Buzzing---Getting Ready to Sting Us Again?

## NEED IMPROVE CARDINALS; MOULD STARS ARE NEEDED

With Many Doubleheaders Coming, Huggins' Pitching Staff Seems Insufficient.

### PENNANT BEE BUZZING

#### Hustling St. Louisans' Rise to Third Place Encourages Local Fans.

By W. J. O'Connor.

By winning nine out of 15 games from Eastern clubs, in the inter-sectional series just completed, the Cardinals have blazed their way into third place and are thundering along at such a pace that their followers are now speculating on what it is that Huggins needs to become a serious pennant contender.

It has, friends, reached that stage. The pennant bee is beginning to buzz because even old Cyrie Cyle himself has been forced to admit that this collection of youthful Nerve Nats are as harmless as hungry timber wolves, once they begin to impinge the ash on the old apple.

They possess the batting punch, are showing a more finished fielding game daily and are inherently possessed of the "look of danger" in their winning hearts. The addition of Paulette and Baird should strengthen the team. Neither of these men will hit like a sledgehammer or a sledgehammer, but they are fast, intelligent, and have the predecessors and Huggins was worried for a time over his defensive strength.

In the last nine games, for instance, the Cardinals have turned in double plays, making three yesterday that pulled Ames out of as many tight holes. Hornum's vast knowledge of the short and the consistently brilliant game of Jack Miller has solidified the key position combination, without which no team can be seriously considered.

#### Defense Now Satisfactory.

There is little reason to worry, therefore, about the play field. There is absolutely no reason to do anything but rejoice and acclaim the praises of the team's attack; but when we come down to the pitching problem, that's something else again, as Herman Seakamp would say.

Since Bob Steele was tinned the Cardinals have reduced their supply of runners to six, exclusive of two untitled youngsters—Atkinson and Murchison—who are merely waiting for their way to the minors. This is the minimum staff of any major league club and when the doubleheader comes, come Huggins will be up against it.

Given one tried major league pitcher, who would go in there now and pitch alongside of Ames, Donk, Meadows and Packard, the Cardinals would be equipped for a pennant drive and a manager to the Cardinals of Broadway.

Where the Trouble Lies.

Just how Hornum is indisposed, Meadows too, has been off his feed, while Watson is effective only against the Reds. That Huggins has been able to do so well as he has done speaks volumes in his favor.

The schedule immediately confronting the Cards is not an easy one. They begin a three-game series against the Pirates. Then come the Reds; five games. After that the Cubs, who are going so well, for six games in three days.

That will be the supreme test for the Cards. Unless President Rixey can secure a dependable pitcher before the Chicago series, which will be followed by an Eastern invasion, involving also many doubleheaders, the Cards will hardly be able to win the pennant.

Given one pitcher, the Cardinals also would have to be given "some youth."

They have the essential requisites of a winner—game and a batting punch. They need a pitcher.

#### Snyder Comes to Life.

Frank Snyder got two hits yesterday, and this may be a sort of warning of what is to come. Surely there has been an intense lull before the Cardinals in Snyder's career. He has been a terrible slump for the past month, but he broke the ice yesterday and should be a pitcher to follow.

Snyder is hitting the Cards well for the first time in a long while. He is one of the big three—Smith, Hornum, and Snyder, who still has a low average. Snyder has been the successful slinger against the Cardinals, but he has been out of the line for a long time.

In 15 games Long went to bat 51 times, batted .300 and made 15 hits. He is a matter of averaging .300, and it will be remembered that he landed many doubleheaders in the late offensive. That a little help from Snyder and the alien pitchers will go to war for a rest.

#### Two Out, Cards Make 5 Successive Hits and Beat N. L. Champions, 7-1

In the first frame of yesterday's fight between the Cardinals and Brooklyn's bogus champions, Jack Smith fanned and Doug Baird grounded out to Olson, indicating a disposition on the part of the locals to behave like a regular ball club. Marquard, the alien batter, looked very good up to that time.

Then the floodgates opened and runs came in torrents. Miller walked. Hornum, singled. Smith, singled. Smith, tripled. Paulette singled. So did Snyder. Ames flied to Hickman. Five runs, two out, and the Cards were in the second. Jack Smith greeted him with a single. Baird sacrificed. Miller tripled. Hornum singled. So did Cruise. Olson made a sacrifice. The Cardinals had an embryo Texas league and turned a double play or they would be batting yet.

Ames pitched for the town team and was too good for any use. Three double plays made his life easier in the early rounds, so he let down and merely loafed after the third inning. For that reason Brooklyn bunched three hits in the fifth and scored its only run. But just to prove that he was good, Ames allowed the enemy to fill the bases in the sixth with one out. Then he got rid of Wheat and Cutshaw on anemic infield pops.

This game was made in order for the 12,000 fans who rallied to the Cardinal banner. In the first inning Jack Miller put the populace in a good humor by a wonderful throw from

## TODAY'S F TABLE

Standing of the Clubs.

CLUBS	W.	L.	Pct.	Win. Loss
Cardinals	16	8	.667	16-8
Philadelphia	15	9	.625	15-9
St. Louis	14	10	.583	14-10
Chicago	13	11	.545	13-11
Cincinnati	12	12	.500	12-12
Boston	11	13	.455	11-13
Brooklyn	10	14	.417	10-14
Pittsburgh	9	15	.375	9-15

CLUBS	W.	L.	Pct.	Win. Loss
Chicago	17	6	.739	17-6
Philadelphia	16	7	.692	16-7
New York	15	8	.652	15-8
Cleveland	14	9	.610	14-9
Detroit	13	10	.565	13-10
St. Louis	12	11	.522	12-11
Philadelphia	11	12	.478	11-12
Washington	10	13	.435	10-13

Yesterday's Results.

Cardinals 1-13-1. Philadelphia 1-4-3. (12 innings) at Philadelphia. Phillies won, 1-0. E. Anderson and Killefer.

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## PENNY ANTE: Trying to Reason With the Wife

By Jean Knott



## 21,000 New York Fans View First Sunday Ball Game

Browns, Sotheron Pitching, Defeat Yankees; \$10,000 Proceeds Go to Engineers.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 18.—The first Sunday baseball game in New York in the history of the American League brought out 21,000 to the Polo Grounds yesterday.

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## SPOR SALAD

By Jean Knott



## Cubs Show Signs of Weakening in East-West Series

Both Reds and Cards Win Majority of Victories; Pittsburgh Still Feeble.

Although both the Cardinals and Reds finished with better than a .500 mark in the second inter-sectional series just closed in the National League, the East was the winner, taking 30 of the 57 contests played.

The men of Miller Huggins wound up with their record of nine victories out of 10 starts. Christy Mathewson's men, the Cardinals, won 16 of 27 games.

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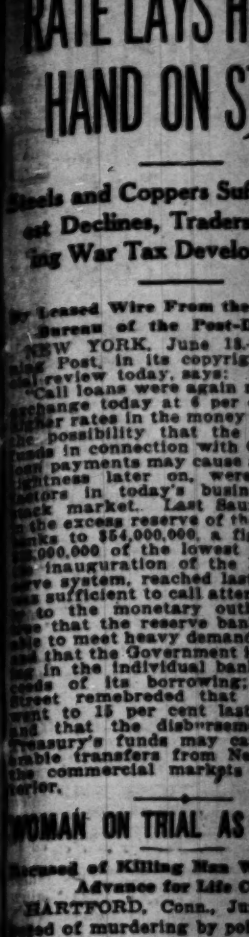
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By Jean Knott



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## The Post-Dispatch Daily Short Story

### Proving His Courage

By F. H. Sweet.

THE Colonel looked pleased. "I think you are the man I want," he said, "and that you can do more service for the cause than by merely joining the army, as you propose. You say you cannot ride a horse, and have never fired a gun nor seen a drill, but that you can swim all day, and go 100 yards or more under water if needed. Do you know any other man who can do the same?"

"Olaf Svenson, who fishes with me, can swim as well. He is across the street now, selling some fish we brought up."

"Would he like to enter the service, too?"

"I think so. Olaf always said he'd join if I did."

"Why haven't you joined before?"

The young fisherman hesitated. "I have looked squarely into the Colonel's face. 'Because I haven't wanted to, sir,' he answered. 'I didn't see the use. It isn't my own country. And I didn't have any idea of joining until you—I got right in front of your quarters.'"

"You and Olaf?"

"No, sir. Olaf's sister. Olaf don't know of my being here, yet. Olga came up with us when we brought the fish."

"H'm! Well, you and Olaf report to me at dark for instructions. And, oh yes, what is your name?"

"Gerdar Warck, sir."

On the corner stood a girl, apparently engaged in diligent examination of the contents of a window. Gerdar went straight to her.

"Well, I have enlisted, Olga," he announced briefly. "And enlisted Olaf, too. It wasn't that I was afraid, as I told you, but I didn't see the use."

The girl flashed him a startled look at the first words. Now she made a visible effort at self-control, biting her lip, with the color coming slowly to her face.

"Lars was smaller than me, Olga, and he was an old man and drunk. It—it wasn't easy for me to go into the woods that day. I had to do it or—do something I'd be sorry for afterwards."

"You ran off, and there were a hundred people looking, and they hooted," the girl said merrily. "Now you may have enlisted, but it's likely for a month or two of drilling round the camp. When orders come for you to be sent to the front there'll be plenty of time to run off again."

The words were bitter, but there was something behind them which caused Gerdar to look at her quickly, only, however, to meet flashing eyes and curling lips.

"From the way the Colonel spoke I think there'll be some front work to-night," he answered slowly. "Only it—it isn't any use for you and me to talk, Olga. We never get anywhere."

The Colonel was writing when Gerdar and Olaf were ushered into his presence by an orderly. Presently he turned from his desk.

"It will be a bad night," he said. "Do you think you can reach Hell's Point through the storm and besieging vessels?"

"They started. Hell's Point was over a mile down stream, and surrounded by such a network of snags and rocks and barbed wire that it was a poor chance for picking one's way even by daylight and without watchful enemies. The Colonel watched them keenly."

"There are also, without doubt, explosives placed in the river by the enemy. Are you two ready to take any chance?"

"If you will let us," they answered. "Very well. Here are two dispatches, exactly alike. If one of you fails, the other may succeed. You will go to the little cabin under the cliff and give the papers to a cripple you will find there. If you succeed, show a light from the cliff. I will give you a flash light that will answer."

He paused a moment, then added in an impressive voice: "The dispatch must not be seen by the enemy, of course. You must die to avoid that, if necessary. Now go."

There was little of the excitement of battle as they removed their clothing and dropped into the water, with nothing but a solid wall of blackness around. This was cut by lightning flashes, showing glimpses of the black hulls of the silent watchtowers investing the town.

The current was in their favor, but the wind blew against them. However, it served to deaden the sound of the waves against their faces. As they neared the line of vessels they swam lightly as possible, keeping all but their faces under water. The darkness was full of ears now. One by one they felt, rather than saw, the dark hulls glide by. Frequently they had to sink under water as a sudden flash showed sentry forms within a few yards.

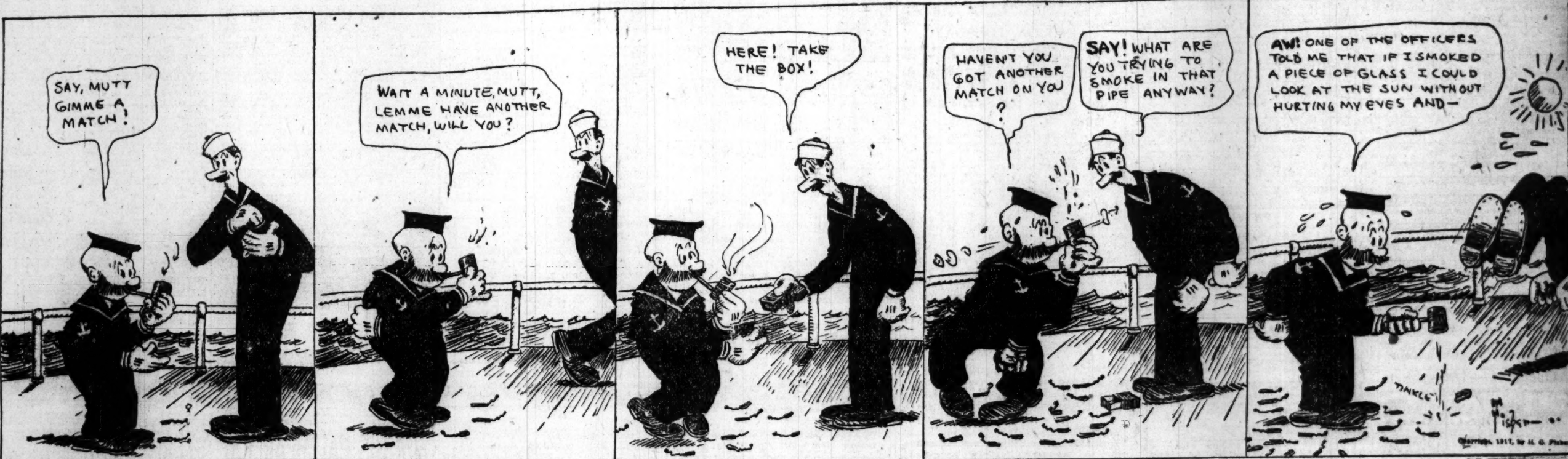
A dozen times they were on the point of being discovered, but escaped by a seeming miracle. Sometimes their hands would encounter the side of a vessel before they were aware of its vicinity. Since leaving the wharf, neither had dared to speak. Once or twice Gerdar fancied from his companion's labored breathing that he was becoming exhausted. But when he put out an arm to assist, it was pushed indignantly away.

Once, as they were moving along side by side, a great light flashed upon them from the deck of a vessel close by, and a dozen stern faces met their gaze. They sank instantly, and a shower of bullets rained upon the water. Second after second passed, and a glimpse of a white face was seen several rods down the river, and was met by another pair of bullets. A little to the right a second white face showed for an instant, and received a similar welcome. Some minutes passed, and a dark spot appeared lower down. A perfect storm of bullets almost instantly fell about it. A few more seconds, and then some body said, "I think they're done for."

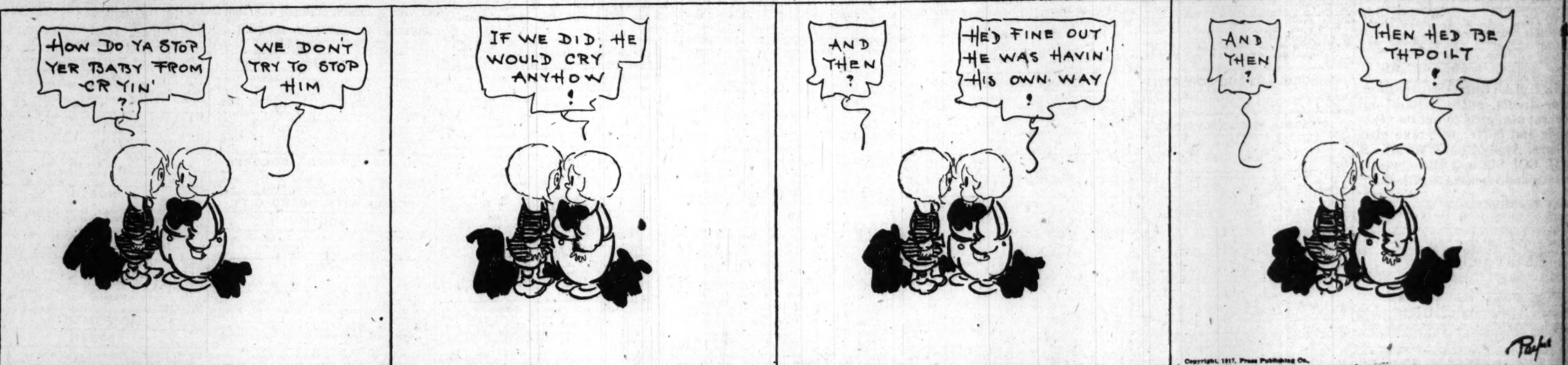
The lights disappeared, and the vessel returned to its dark watchfulness. In his quarters the Colonel paced up and down uneasily. Much depended on



MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF IS WILLING TO TRY ANYTHING ONCE—BY BUD FISHER.



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## The Sandman Story for Tonight

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

### THE GRAY WITCH—Part I

ONCE upon a time there lived a King and Queen who had a little daughter brought to them by the stork one night.

The girl the next day the King gave a feast to all his subjects and told his servants that no one should be turned away, no matter how poorly he was dressed.

While the feast was going on a knock came at the gate of the castle, and when the servant opened it there stood a terrible-looking creature.

Her hair hung in ragged-looking strands about her gray-looking face, her teeth were sharp and long and her eyes looked like two pieces of ice, so cold and gray they were.

The dress of this queer-looking creature, if it could be called a dress, hung in tatters about her gaunt form and looked more like frozen rags than a dress. A cold blast struck the face of

the servant when he opened the gate, and, seeing the terrible creature looking at him with cold gray eyes, he quickly closed the gate and looked it.

A loud shriek came from outside the gates of the castle, and the frightened servant shook with fear.

But the gate of the castle was strong and the gray witch did not get in, but when the shrieking and pounding ceased a cry from the Queen was heard through the castle walls.

"My baby, my beautiful little Princess, has been stolen!" she cried, wringing her hands in great grief.

All the servants hunted through the castle and the grounds, but nowhere could the Princess be found.

The King offered half his kingdom to anyone who would find her, but years went by and no one heard of the Princess. The old servant at the gate, who was the only one who had any idea what had become of the Princess.

He told the King of the terrible gray witch who came to the gate the night of the feast whom he had refused to admit, but how she could have carried off the Princess was a mystery; still the old servant felt it was she who had done the dreadful deed.

Years went by and again the stork came to the castle, and this time he left a baby boy, and the King and Queen rejoiced that a little Prince was sent to them.

The King gave another feast, but this time the little Prince was guarded by many soldiers and nothing happened to him.

One day when the Prince had grown to be quite a big boy he was playing in the gardens of the castle and a beautiful butterfly alighted on a bush near him. The little Prince put out his hand to touch it, but it flew away toward the forest.

The attendants were so busy talking they did not notice that the little Prince ran after the butterfly and was soon out of sight.

When the little Prince reached the woods the butterfly suddenly changed into a beautiful lady with long, flowing hair of sunny gold.

Her eyes were soft and blue as the Southern skies, and her face like a beautiful pink rose, so soft was her skin and so beautifully colored.

She put out her hand to the little Prince and said in a soft, low voice: "Come with me and we will find your sister. Will you be afraid?"

"Oh, no," answered the little Prince. "I am not afraid of anything. I am a Prince, and some day I shall be King, and a King should not be afraid, my father told me." The beautiful lady smiled so sweetly that the little Prince drew close to her side, and her flowing skirts wrapped his feet.

Jason Watson took advantage of the open weather last week to paint his wood shed a light blue with red doors.

Prince seemed to be falling along through the air, and the Prince put out his hand as they sailed along and touched the soft, fleecy clouds as they went past.

But suddenly the little Prince felt a shiver pass over him, and he cuddled close to the beautiful lady.

"Fear not, little Prince," she said, and closer about the little Prince she drew her soft, warm skirts.

Suddenly the little Prince saw a tall, gray figure with streaming hair and long, lean arms stretched out in a threatening way flying toward them.

"Oh, oh!" cried the little Prince, hugging closer to the beautiful warm lady.

"Fear not, little Prince," she said, "the cold gray witch shall not harm you."

Closer and closer came the gray witch, and as she came she shrieked and howled, sending out a cold blast from her dreadful mouth which made the little Prince shiver. But the beautiful lady drew him closer to her, and soon he felt warm and safe.

Tomorrow I will tell you the rest of the story of the Gray Witch.

(Continued tomorrow.)

Where the Fighting Will Be.

"So your husband has joined the army?"

"Yes, he's been put in the Commissary Department."

"That's a safe place. He won't see any fighting there."

"Why won't he? It'll be up to him to discharge the cooks, won't it?"

Father's Idea.

MOTHER, apprehensively: Is that the baby crying again?

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"WHY is the word 'Fins' put at the end of a novel?"

"Oh, that is to let us know what of the story to read first."

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